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| R.M.S. GANGES | 4288 | T. F. Creery | 14th March |
| P.M. CALEDONIA | 7558 | W. B. Andrews | 31st " |
| † SUTLEJ | 4294 | A. Symons | 28th " |
| P.&O. PENINSULAR | 5227 | R. F. Briscoe | 4th April |
| † ORIENTAL | 5264 | L. H. Moule | 11th " |
| P.M.S. AUSTRALIA | 6991 | I. Reeves | 18th " |
| R.M.S. CLYDE | 4139 | W. Weichell | 25th " |
| P.M.S. CALEDONIA | 7558 | W. B. Andrews | 2nd May, |
| † SUTLEJ | 4702 | A. Symons | 9th " |
| P.&O. CARTHAGE | 5263 | M. DeHorne | 16th " |

FRIDAY, 5 P.M.

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| † GANGES | 4702 | T. F. Creery | 22nd May. |
| P.&O. ORIENTAL | 5264 | L. H. Moule | 29th " |

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### IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

SUIT No. 207 OF 1893.

HURRIVULLUBHDAS BALGOWANDAS,...Plaintiff.

vs

KHARWA DEWSEY BHIMJA, KHIMJEE HEERJEE, NEBA DEWSEY, ALKA DEWSEY and PANKA DEWSEY ...Defendants

PURSUANT to the final Decree made in the above Suit and bearing date the 13th day of September, 1894, the following immoveable property will be SOLD by PUBLIC AUCTION, by the Commissioner of this Honorable Court, at his Office in the Court House, on WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of April, 1896, at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon in one lot.

PARTICULARS.

All the estate and interest of the abovenamed Plaintiff and of the abovenamed Defendants or any of them in the following properties :—

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For further particulars and conditions of Sale Application should be made at the office of the said Commissioner or at the office of Messrs. Wadia and Ghandy, Attorneys for the Plaintiff abovenamed at No. 11, Sirdar Building, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay.—Dated this 25th day of January, 1896.

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Kamptee, March 10th, 1896.

### SHERIFF'S PROCLAMATION.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

SUIT NO. 151 OF 1894.

EDULJEE SHAPOORJEE, of Bombay, Parsi Inhabitant, residing at Dhobi Talao Road, without the Fort of Bombay ...Plaintiff.

vs.

LALCHUND VELJI, a Hindoo residing at Joova via Andheri, without the Jurisdiction of this Honourable Court ...Def ndant.

WHEREAS by a Decree made in the above Suit on the 12th day of June, 1894, it was ordered that the Defendant do on or before the 12th day of December, 1894, pay to the Plaintiff the sum of Rs. 2,778-3-3 for debt and interest and the costs of the said suit taxed at Rs. 272-15-6, and noted in the margin thereof and further simple interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum upon the amount of the said judgment from the date thereof until payment and the Court did further order that upon the said Defendant paying into Court on behalf of the Plaintiff on or before the date above mentioned, the principal interest costs and further interest as aforesaid the Plaintiffs do reconvey to the Defendant the property in the Mortgage comprised and in the Schedule thereto described free and clear of and from all incumbrances done by him the said Plaintiff or by any person or persons claiming by from or under him and do deliver up all deeds documents and writings of or relating to the said premises in his possession, custody or control to the said Defendant or to whom he shall appoint. But in default of the said Defendant paying into court such principal interest costs and further interest as aforesaid by the time aforesaid then the Plaintiff should be entitled for final decree for sale of the said property described as below :—Certain Garden lands containing three Acres and ten Goonthas or thereabouts, with all the Trees and Plantations standing thereon situate at Vasava in the Taana Zilla, in the sub-district of the Registrar of Taana, and bounded on the east on a hedge and beyond that by an cart of Padri, on the West by a hedge and beyond that by a public passage, on the North by a hedge and beyond that by carts of Palal and on the South by an out of Cakalker and which said land is registered under No. 39, sub No. 3, and belonging to Lalchund Weljee of Jcova, Hindoo Inhabitant.

And Whereas by a decree absolute for sale made on the 28th day of January, 1895, it was ordered and decreed that the property in the plaint and in the said decree described be SOLD by PUBLIC AUCTION by the Sheriff of Bombay and that the proceeds of such sale or so much thereof as may be sufficient be paid in or towards the amount due under the said decr e and the Court did further order that the Defendant do pay to the Plaintiff his costs of the application and of the said decree absolute for sale taxed at Rs. 214-4 and noted in the margin thereof and that the same be added to the amount payable under the said decree and the Court further order that the Plaintiff be at liberty to bid at the said sale and become purchaser of the said property.

And Whereas the Judge's order made herein on the 12th day of October 1895 it was ordered that in the event of the Plaintiff becoming the purchaser of the property directed to be sold by the hereinbefore lastly recited decree the plaintiff should be at liberty to set off the amount of the decree against the earnest and purchase money.

Now it is hereby proclaimed and notified that on WEDNESDAY, the 15th day of April 1896 at the hour of 4-30 o'clock in the afternoon the Sheriff of Bombay will under and by virtue of the said decree dated the 28th day of January 1895 put up for SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION on the premises to the highest bidder and without reserve the right title and interest of the said plaintiff and Defendant in the said lands and premises.

Intimation is given that the Court does not warrant the correctness of the above description of the premises nor the title of the said Plaintiff and Defendant to the same or to any interest therein.

The abovenamed Plaintiff has obtained permission to bid at the sale.

Of the price of the lot one-fourth shall be paid forthwith when the lot is declared down to a purchaser, the remainder of the purchase money must be paid by the purchaser to the Sheriff on or before the fifteenth day after the sale provided that if the plaintiff shall become the purchaser he shall be at liberty to set off the amount of his decree against the earnest and purchase money.

The sale will not become absolute until confirmed by the Court.

In default of payment in whole or in part as above prescribed, any sum paid as deposit will be forfeited to the Government and the lot will be sold free from any interest therein or in the proceeds thereof of the prior purchaser.

For further information and conditions of sale application should be made at the Office of the Sheriff.—Dated this 13th day of March, 1896.

GHELLABHAI HARIDAS,
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Messrs. BICKNELL MERWANJI and MOTILAL,
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(1). To receive Directors' Report and Audited Accounts for the year ending 31st December 1895.
(2). To declare a Dividend.
(3). To elect Director and Auditor in room of those retiring by rotation.
(4). To transact any other Business that may be brought before the Meeting.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

D. McLAUCHLAN SLATER, F.I.A.,
Secretary.

Bombay, 5th March, 1896.

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Departments Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, 12 and 13, (that is to say the Grocery, Tobacco, Tarseys, Drugs, Games and Books Departments) will be ABLE to RESUME BUSINESS within a few days.

The WINE DEPARTMENT will also be able to resume business very shortly.

ALL Orders received subsequent to the 10th instant will be attended to, AS FAR AS POSSIBLE.

All Orders which came to hand prior to that date and are not yet executed, may be considered to be destroyed.

Members are requested to repeat all orders that they have hal registered at this Depot for execution later on, and also to send a list of any of their property which may have been at the Depot, including card-plates, dies, guns, skins, &c.

The KARACHI DEPOT is, of course, stocked, and doing business, as usual.

A. HILDEBRAND,
General Manager.

Bombay, 11th March, 1896.

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DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Government land or ground with the messuage, tenements and dwelling-house standing thereon, situate in Doongry Cooly Street without the Fort of Bombay, admeasuring 287 square yards and 3-9th of a square yard or thereabouts, and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Collector old No. 848, 848, Collectors new No. 6293, old survey No. 43, and new survey No. 2614, and assessed by the Municipality under Ward B, No. 1162 and Street No. 251-257, which premises are bounded on or towards the east by the Government land, on or towards the west by the Doongry Cooly Street, on or towards the north by the house of Tricumdas Kooverji and on or towards the south by a passage.

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### FIRE INSURANCE.

| | Exclusive Reserve Fund |
|---|---|
| The NORTHERN ASSURANCE Co., CAPITAL | £ 3,000,000 |
| The GENERAL INSURANCE Co., CAPITAL, incig. RESERVE FUND | ,, 3,000,000 |
| The TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE Co., CAPITAL | M 6,000,000 |
| The NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE Co., CAPITAL | ,, 7,500,000 |
| The HAMBURG-BREMEN FIRE INSURANCE Co., CAPITAL | ,, 6,000,000 |
| The FIRE INSURANCE Co., of 1877, CAPITAL | ,, 2,600,000 |
| The BALOISE FIRE INSURANCE Co., CAPITAL | Frs 10,000,000 |
| The BATAVIA FIRE INSURANCE Co., CAPITAL | Fl 3,000,000 |
| The SAMARANG FIRE INSURANCE Co., CAPITAL | ,, 2,000,000 |

### MARINE INSURANCE.

| | |
|---|---|
| The GENERAL MARINE INSURANCE Co., CAPITAL, incig. RESERVE FUND | £ 3,000,000 |
| The NEW SWISS-LLOYD TRANSPORT INSURANCE Co., CAPITAL | Frs 4,000,000 |
| The BATAVIA MARINE INSURANCE Co., CAPITAL | Fl 3,000,000 |
| The SAMARANG MARINE INSURANCE Co., CAPITAL | ,, 2,000,000 |
| The NETHERLANDS-INDIA SEA and FIRE INSURANCE Co., CAPITAL | ,, 2,250,000 |

VOLKART BROTHERS,
Agents.

## NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Assets | £33,335,755 |
| Liabilities | £29,169,331 |
| Surplus | £ 4,166,524 |
| Income | £ 7,506,854 |
| Disbursements | £ 4,966,960 |
| Number of Policies issued during 1894 | 81,394 |
| Total number of Policies in force | 277,600 |

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OLD SECRETARIAT.
D. LINDSAY,
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| AYALA AND Co. | Château d'Ay. |
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| DAUMAL ET FILS. | Rheims. |
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| LEACOCK AND Co. | Madeira. |
| COSSART, GORDON AND Co. | Madeira. |
| COCKBURN SMITHES & Co. | Oporto. |
| VAN ZELLERS AND Co. | Oporto. |
| BUTLER NEPHEW AND Co. | Oporto. |
| P. J. VALCKENBERG. | Worms. |
| NATH. JOHNSTON & SONS. | Bordeaux. |
| A. DE LUZE ET FILS. | Bordeaux. |
| NOILLY PRAT & CIE. | Marseilles. |
| WOODHOUSE AND Co. | Marsala. |
| CARSTAIRS & ROBERTSON. | Leith, N. B. |
| CHAS. MACKINLAY AND Co. | Leith, N. B. |
| COCKBURN & CAMPBELL. | Leith, N. B. |
| JOHN CRABBIE & Co. | Leith, N. B. |
| JAMES CATHCART & Co. | Leith, N. B. |
| SIR ROBERT BURNETT & Co. | London. |
| J. & W. NICHOLSON & Co. | London. |
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RESULTS of 1894.

| | |
|---|---|
| Net Premiums | £846,213 |
| Profit—Including Interest | 94,980 |
| Dividends for the Year | 42,550 |

LOSSES paid during past TEN YEARS.

£4,014,952 Sterling.

SPECIAL FEATURES.

Fire Business only transacted.
Policy Holders incur no liability.
Absolute Security.
Risks Surveyed free of charge.
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## BOMBAY BANK AND STOCK LIST.

### BANKS.

| | Shares. | Amount. | Paid-up. | Last Half-Yearly Divid. | Cash Rate. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| INDIAN BANKS. | | Rs. | Rs. | | Rs. |
| Bank of Bombay | 50,000 | 500 | all | 16 pr. ct. | 1,415 |
| Bank of Bengal | 40,000 | 500 | all | 11 pr. ct. | 1,205xd |
| Bank of Madras | 30,000 | 500 | all | 10 pr. ct. | 1,276 |
| Commercial Bk. | 10,000 | 100 | { 100 / 75 } | 10 p.c. | 136 |
| Ld. Mge ... | 15,000 | | | | |
| EXCHANGE BANKS. | | | | | |
| Agra ... | 100,000 | £10 | all | 5 pr. ct. | 8½ |
| Chartered Bank of India, Australia & China | 40,000 | £20 | £20 | 7 pr. ct. | £27 |
| Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation ... | 50,000 | $125 | al | £1-5s. | £14 to 45 |
| National Bank of India ... | 40,000 | £25 | £12½ | 6 pr. ct. | 3½ |

### SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

| | | | | Half-yearly | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Alliance ... | 1,250 | 1,000 | all | 20 | | 650 |
| Anglo-Indian ... | 1,345 | 100 | | 10c | Nil | 45 |
| Bellasis & Sons' Co. Ld. (Secretary) ... | 871 | 0( | all | 9 per ct. | | 1 8 |
| Bombay United Spinning & Weaving Co. Ld. ... | 900 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 35 | | 860 |
| Bombay Cotton Manufg. Co. ... | 900 | 500 | 500 | 20 | | 540 |
| Bombay National Manufg. Co. Ld ... | 500 | 1,00( | 1,000 | | | 730 |
| Britannia Spng. ... | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | Nil | | 460 |
| Central India ... | 1,000 | 500 | 500 | | | 1,260 |
| China Mills Co Ld ... | 800 | 1 000 | 1,000 | dvd 15s. | 40 | 835 |
| City of Bombay Mills ... | 800 | 1,000 | 1,000 | dvd Rs. | 40 | 1,060 |
| Colaba Land & Mills ... | 4,000 | 100 | 100 | ... | | 110 |
| Colaba Land & Mills ... | 4,000 | 700 | | 25 Nil | 14s | 60 |
| Coorla Mills ... | 800 | 1,000 | 1,000 | dvd Rs. | 5 | 650 |
| Currimbhoy Mill ... | 800 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | 40 | 825 |
| David Mill ... | 800 | 1,000 | 500 | dvd Rs. | 25 | 550 |
| Dhurumsey ... | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | 50 | 42 |
| Empress ... | 1,250 | 1,000 | 1,000 | dvd | 50 | 585 |
| Framjee Petit ... | 1,250 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | Nil | 580 |
| Hindustan ... | 875 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | 30 | 760 |
| Hingangbat Mills ... | 700 | 500 | 500 | | 40 | 60 |
| Howard and Sollooghs ... | 1,600 | 500 | 500 | | 25 | 700 |
| Hydershah ... | 700 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | 35 | 1,425 |
| Imperial Cotton | 900 | 500 | 500 | dvd Rs. | 30 | 480 |
| Indian Manfc. ... | 900 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | 50 | 1,200 |
| Indo-China Manufacturing Co., Ld .. | 700 | 500 | 1,000 | dvd Rs. | 30 | 525 |
| Jacob Sassoon ... | 1 100 | 500 | 500 | | 25 | 700 |
| Jaffer Alli ... | 600 | 500 | 500 | | Nil | 225 |
| Jamshedjee Manufacturing Co. ... | 1,800 | 250 | 250 | dvd Rs. | 10 | 225 |
| Jeejeebhoy Mills ... | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | dvd Rs. | 40 | 1,070 |
| Jubilee Mills Co. Ld ... | 800 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | 20 | 425 |
| Khandesh ... | 750 | 1,500 | 1,000 | dvd Rs. | 30 | 870 |
| Khanga Manufg. Co. ... | 40 | 250 | 250 | | Nil | 900 |
| Khatao Makanjee ... | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | dvd Rs. | 45 | 850 |
| Kilachand Spng. ... | 2,500 | 100 | 100 | dvd Rs. | 10 | 255xd |
| Lord Reay Mfg. ... | 445 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | 30 | 975 |
| Lakmidas Khimjee Mill Co, Ld ... | 4,000 | 100 | 100 | | | 105 |
| Port Canning Co ... | 6,000 | 1 000 | 1,000 | dvd Rs. | 22 | 487½ |
| Soundy & Co ... | 1,000 | 100 | 100 | | | 50 |
| Treasher & Co ... | 2,000 | 500 | 500 | | 25 | 60 |
| Tyrabjee & Co. ... | 1,000 | 100 | 100 | | | 125 |
| Telephone Co. ... | 9,700 | 25 | 100 | dvd | Rs. | 29 |

### RAILWAY COMPANIES.

| | | | Yearly | | guar. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| G. I. P. R. Consolidated Stock ... | — | £100 | all | 5 p. c. | 2 |
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### PRICES OF BULLION.

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| Sovereigns ... | Rs. 16-9 |
| Napoleon Dollars ... | nom |
| Gold Five Rupee Pieces ... | 13-4 |
| Bar Silver ... | 92-2 |
| Gold Mohurs ... | 26-13 |
| Bar Gold, English (916 touch) ... | 26-4 |
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| | Terms. | | Rate. |
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| London Banks ... | On demand ... | do. | 1s. 3 11-16d. |
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| Do. do. ... | 6 Do. ... | do. | 1s. 2 13-16d. |
| Do. Credit ... | 3 Do. ... | do. | 1s. 3 13-32d. |
| Do. do. ... | 6 Do. ... | do. | 1s. 2 27-32d. |
| Do. Documents ... | 3 Do. ... | do. | 1s. 2 27-32d. |
| Do. do. ... | 4 Do. ... | do. | 1s. 2 27-32d. |
| France ... | 3 Do. ... | do. | 156 |
| Do. ... | 6 Do. ... | do. | 156½ |
| Calcutta ... | At sight ... | do. | 100 1-16 |
| Do. ... | 15 days ... | do. | 99 13-16 |
| Madras ... | At sight ... | do. | 100 1-16 |
| Do. ... | 15 days ... | do. | 99 13-32 |
| China ... | 30 days ... | do. | 183½ & 249 |


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| | | | Yearly | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
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| BackBay Baths ... | 500 | 50 | 50 | 12 | 40 |
| Badham Pile ... | 6,000 | 100 | 100 | 10 | 137 |
| Bombay & Bharma Trading Corporation ... | 1,000 | 2,500 | 1,500 | 300 | 5,125 |
| Bombay Gas Co. ... | 500 | 375 | 625 | 75 | 1,310 |
| Bombay Ice Mfg. Co., Ld. ... | 1,250 | 100 | 100 | dvd | 3 | 64 |
| Bombay Land and Building Co. Ld. ... | 400 | 500 | 500 | 5 pr. ct | | 500 |
| Bombay Flour Mill ... | 720 | 500 | 500 | | 8 | 1,400 |
| Deccan Paper Mills ... | 1,000 | | 500 | 5 pr. ct | | 500 |
| Delhi and Northern India Flour Mills ... | 1,500 | 200 | 200 | | 1 | 195 |
| Delhi Cloth & General Mills Co., Ld. ... | 2,500 | 25 | 25 | 8 pr. ct. | | 340 |
| Presidency Mills Ld. ... | 743 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | 40 | 1,370 |
| Queen Mills ... | 800 | 1,000 | 1,000 | dvd | Rs. 50 | 750 |
| Ripon Mills ... | 800 | 1,000 | 1,000 | dvd | Rs. 50 | 1,050 |
| Sassoon Spng. ... | 1,500 | 1,000 | 1,000 | dvd | Rs. 60 | 1,275 |
| Sholapore Mills ... | 500 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | 50 | 1,700 |
| Shoorjeebhai ... | 750 | 1,000 | 1,000 | dvd | 60 | 870 |
| Southern India Spinning Mah. Co. Ld. ... | 1,200 | 500 | 500 | | 15 | 115 |
| Sun Mills ... | 1,312 | 250 | 250 | dvd | Rs. 12½ | 380 |
| Star of India ... | 1,200 | 250 | 250 | dv | Rs. 15 | 227½ |
| Tardeobad Mills ... | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | | 390 |
| Tarachand Ghanshyam Cotton Manufacturing Co. ... | 475 | 500 | 500 | dvd | Rs. 30 | 760 |
| Union Spinning Mill ... | 1,000 | 100 | 100 | | | 60 |
| Land Manufacturing Co. ... | 900 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | | 450 |
| Union Mills Ld ... | 90 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | | 50 |
| Vaishnuker Lukhmishanker Co Mill Co, Ld ... | 800 | 500 | 500 | | 15 | 800 |
| Victoria Mills ... | 1,250 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | Nil | 375 |
| Western India ... | 1,200 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | 35 | 785 |
| Wadia Mills ... | 1,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | | 90 |

### PRESS COMPANIES.

| | | | Yearly | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Akbar ... | 200 | 1,250 | 1,250 | 75 | 1375 |
| Albert Ginning Co ... | 100 | 500 | all | 18 pr. ct. | 450 |
| Albert Steam Press ... | 100 | 500 | 1,100 | Rs 80 | 1,125xd |
| Bellasis ... | 187 | 1,000 | 1,000 | dvd 14 | 175 |
| Bhowmagire City Press & Manfg Co. Ld ... | 550 | 250 | 250 | 25 | 275 |
| Bombay Cotton reul's Cawnpore Press Co., Ld ... | 4,000 | 125 | 125 | dv Rs12½ | 175 |
| Broach City ... | 600 | 200 | 200 | 12 | 190 |
| Cama & Co. ... | 500 | 1,888 | 1,888 | dvd Rs15 | 375 |
| East India ... | 350 | 1,000 | 1,000 | 75 | 1,300 |
| English Press and Manfg ... | 450 | 250 | 500 | dvd Rs 8 | 1171 |
| Fort ... | 150 | 5,000 | 500 | 25 p c | 1150 |
| French ... | 300 | 500 | 500 | dvd Rs20 | 570 |
| Harvey and Sabeshig ... | 450 | 450 | 500 | dvd Rs10 | 375 |
| Hingoll Press Co., Ld ... | 70 | 100 | 100 | dvd Rs11 | 141 |
| Khangaum ... | 240 | 450 | 450 | | Rs4 | 500 |
| Mahuva Press Co., Ld ... | 300 | 200 | all | 15 pr. ct. | | 250 |
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| Mohamedi ... | 1,000 | 125 | 125 | dvd | Rs 4 | 110 |
| Mofussil Co ... | 3,125 | 400 | 400 | | Nil | 200 |
| Munmar M ... | 1,000 | 250 | all | | 15 | 1234 |
| New Bear ... | 1,000 | 1,000 | 500 | dvd | Rs30 | 5524 |
| New Indian ... | 1,000 | 125 | 125 | dvd | Rs 9 | 1.2 |
| Prince of Wales ... | 100 | 500 | 500 | | 25 | 500 |
| Sabapathy (Bi-liary) ... | 300 | 500 | 500 | | 75 | 30 |
| Samson ... | 300 | 500 | 500 | | 30 | 30 |
| Sind and Punjab Co ... | 100 | 1,000 | 1,000 | | 200 | 2,250 |
| Stiff ... | 400 | 2,000 | 750 | | 50 | 510 |
| Scrab Woollen Mills ... | 1,200 | 250 | 250 | | 20 | 410 |
| Surat City Press Co., Ld. ... | 300 | 100 | 100 | | 16 | 70 |
| Volkart ... | — | 1,000 | all | | 12 | 110 |
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# BOMBAY

### TO-DAY.

Bombay Sailing Association's Races.
I. M. S. Clive arrives from Karachi.
B. V. R. Parade.
Bombay Jackal Club, Annual Point-to-Point Races, Santa Cruz.
Annual Soiree, Cercle Litteraire, Framjee Hall, 9 p.m.
Nassick Orphanage, Sale of Work at Mrs. Chart's, Mount Road, 10 a. m. to 1 p. m., and 4 to 7 p.m.
Western Indian Lawn Tennis Championship Meeting concludes.
Tivoli Theatre, Hudson's New Surprise Party, 9 p.m.
Military Manœuvres, Lanowli and Khandalla, commence.
P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Peninsular with English mails of the 28th ultimo, expected to arrive at day-light.
Music at the Esplanade Bandstand, 5-45 p.m.

### TO-MORROW.

Bombay Foxhounds meet at Jackal Club.
B. V. A., Annual Carbine Association Meeting.
Mr. Da Costa Memorial Meeting, Institute Luso-Indiano.

PRINCE'S DOCK.—The steamers Etrickdale, Satrunji, and Sawiri entered the dock on Tuesday, and the steamer City of Khios yesterday.

VICTORIA DOCK.—The steamers Maria Valerie and Clydesdale entered and the steamer Persia left the dock on Thursday; the steamer Rohilla left it yesterday.

JACKAL CLUB RACES.—The special train to Santa Cruz, running in connection with the Jackal Club Races, starts from Church Gate at 3 p.m. (Bombay time), and not 3-5, as previously notified.

THE PATHARE PRABHU SOCIAL SAMAJ.—The eighth anniversary of the establishment of the Pathare Prabhu Social Samaj will be celebrated to-morrow (Sunday), at 3 p.m., in the Prabhu Seminary Hall.

LECTURE.—A lecture will be delivered in the Kapola Mitra Mandal Hall, on Kalbadavie Road, by Mr. Motilal Purshotumdas Mehta, B.A., to-morrow (Sunday), at 8-30 p.m. The subject will be "In what does the good of the Kapola caste consist."

LAD MANDAL.—A meeting to celebrate the second anniversary of the Lad Mandal will be held, in Ladni Vadi, to-morrow (Sunday), at 8-30 p.m., when the annual report will be passed, and the well-known ventriloquist, Mr. Annaji Ramchandra Bhayilkar, of Baroda, will exhibit his skill.

APPOINTMENT.—Dr. Kaikushro Manekji Dubash has been appointed as Tutor in Midwifery at the Grant Medical College. It will be remembered that a short time ago he was appointed by Government, Honorary Obstetric Physician at the Motlibai Obstetric Institution and the Sir Dinshaw Petit Hospital for Women and Children.

ARYA MITRA MELLA.—The Hindu new year's Bakshis (prize-distribution) Darbar of this Mella will take place in the Bombay Native Institution Hall, Chandra Baug, opposite to Madhav Baug, to-morrow (Sunday), at 4 p.m., when prizes to the successful winners in the Arya Mitra Mella Shinja sports, held in the beginning of this month, will be distributed.

POSTAL NOTICES.—Mails for Karachi and Sind, per extra s. s. Alphee, will be closed at the General Post Office, at 7 p.m., to-day (Saturday). Mails for Linza, Muscat, Bunder Abas, and Bushire, specially superscribed for transmission by this vessel will also be forwarded.—Mails for Lamu, Mombassa, Zanzibar, Dar-es-Salaam, Tanga, Pangani, and Pemba, up to Natal, East London, Alagoa Bay and Cape Town, per extra s. s. Safari, will be closed at the General Post Office, at 7 p.m., to-day (Saturday).

THE BENI-ISRAEL CULTURE SOCIETY AND LIBRARY.—The seventh annual meeting of the above Society will be held in the hall of the Beni-Israel Library, Dhanji Street, Girgaum, to-morrow (Sunday), at 5 p.m. when the report for the year 1894-95 will be read, Mr. Benjamin Samson will preside. On Monday, the 16th instant, at 7-30 p.m., in the same hall, Mr. A. Benjamin will deliver a lecture on "Caricature" and become a Member of the Temperance Society of Mr. A. A. Kehimker, B.A., LL.B., president of the Society, will preside.

MUSIC AT THE ESPLANADE BANDSTAND.—The Band of the G. I. P. Ry. Volunteers will play the following programme at the Esplanade Bandstand, this evening, at 5-45 :—

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| March ... | Fro Patria ... W. Clark |
| Overture ... | Zanetta ... Auber |
| Selection ... | The Lady Slavey ... Godfrey |
| Valse ... | Mon Merska ... Florence Fare |
| Selection ... | The Shop Girl ... Ivan Caryll |
| G.lop ... | The Noisy Johnnie ... Pritchard |
| | God save the queen. |

CONCERT.—As will be seen from a paragraph in another column, a concert is to be given in the Central Rooms of the Y. M. C. A., Apollo Bunder, on Monday evening. An excellent programme of vocal and instrumental music has been arranged, and is to be participated in by such well-known amateurs as Miss N. Tudball, Mrs. McLaren, the Misses Humphrey, Miss Morris, Miss Ella Douse, and Messrs. H. E. and H. J. Harrington and A. Mason. The Y.M.C.A. orchestra, which is under the direction of Mr. Bernard J. Vining, will give some selections of classical music, and altogether an enjoyable evening may be looked forward to.

ALLEGED THEFT BY A STEP-BROTHER.—Assadalli Mahomedalli, a Mahomedan, residing on the first floor of a house at Nagdavie Street, reported to the police, on Thursday morning, that, during his absence from home on the night of the 11th instant, his stepbrother, Jannahomed Bux, aged fourteen, opened his (complainant's) box, and having abstracted therefrom gold and silver ornaments, wearing apparel, currency notes, and cash, of the aggregate value of Rs. 191, absconded by the same night train to Ajmere. A telegram was sent by the local police to the authorities at Ahmedabad, requesting them to arrest accused during his journey to Ajmere.

ATTEMPT TO ROB A CHILD.—Luxmon Narayen was, yesterday, brought up before Mr. W. Webb, Third Presidency Magistrate, at the Esplanade Court, charged at the instance of Inspector Jolliffe, with attempt to commit theft. Huri Gunpat, a Hindu coppersmith, was returning home on Thursday afternoon, carrying his small brother in arms, when he heard the child cry, and turning round to see what the cause was, found accused attempting to remove a silver anklet from the child's leg. Complainant shouted out, and a policeman arrested accused as he was running away. The magistrate sentenced accused to two months' hard labour in common jail.

A CHARGE OF MISCHIEF.—Vithal Dharma, a fisherman, was yesterday charged before Mr. A. Sandes Slater, Chief Presidency Magistrate, at the Esplanade Police Court, with mischief and causing damage to the boat of Bhoko, another fisherman. Mr. Velinker, pleader, appeared for complainant, while Mr. Walker, solicitor, defended. It was alleged that, at 2 o'clock on the morning of the 25th ultimo, after complainant had anch red his boat, accused went near it in another boat and cut off the rope with which complainant's craft was tied to the moorings. The craft was sent off nearly 200 feet into the sea, and there it dashed against a rock, which resulted in a damage amounting to Rs. 40. In the absence of sufficient evidence, the accused was discharged.

DROWNING FATALITY TO A MAHOMEDAN LAD.—Mr. Allan F. Turner, the coroner, held an inquiry, yesterday, at Ripon Road, touching the death of Ramjan Dinmahomed, a Mahomedan lad, aged about eleven, residing with his parents at Kamatcewadi, about 9 o'clock, on Wednesday morning, deceased left home to go to school on Morland Road, and about noon went and assisted his mother at her work on the Flats. About 3 o'clock in the afternoon, Ramjan left the work, saying that he was going for a walk, as there was no school in the afternoon. About 6 p.m., the mother returned home, and found that deceased was not there. About 9 p.m., she searched for him, but failed to find him anywhere. About 9 o'clock, on the following morning, the father went in search of him on the Flats, near Morland Road, and discovered the dead body of the deceased floating on the surface of the water in a quarry-hole. There were no internal marks of violence on the body. The jury returned a verdict of accidental death by drowning.

SURAT FIRE RELIEF FUND.—At the instance of an influential and provisional committee of Native gentlemen, a general meeting was held, yesterday afternoon, at Petit House, Fort, to take measures to aid the sufferers from the recent fire in Surat. On the motion of Mr. Ghelabhai Harridas, Sheriff of Bombay, Sir Dinshaw Maneckji Petit, Bart., was called to the chair. The Chairman informed the meeting that he had received a letter from Mr. F. S. P. Lely, the Collector of Surat, regarding the late fire, from which it appeared that the fire first originated through the freaks of a drunken man in the toddy locality. Seventy-one houses had been destroyed, causing damage to house property to the extent of Rs. 18,851. The sum of Rs. 1,000 sent by the Chairman from the "old Surat Fire and Flood Relief Fund" was thankfully acknowledged. A resolution was then passed by the meeting, expressing its sympathy to the sufferers by the fire. It was also resolved to raise subscriptions to afford relief to the sufferers, and a committee was appointed to carry it out. An account was directed to be opened in the Bank of Bombay, to be operated upon by the secretaries and treasurers. A subscription list was then circulated, and about Rs. 7,000 were subscribed on the spot. The usual compliments to the Chairman for his able conduct in the chair terminated the proceedings.

ARREST OF SUSPICIOUS CHARACTERS.—At the Mazagon Police Court, yesterday, Inspector Framji Bulcaji, of the Criminal Investigation Department, charged three Hindus of suspicious character, named Lalaram Gangaram, Nanda Padum, and Girdhar Rajan, residents of Gawalian, before Mr. W. H. Hamilton, Second Presidency Magistrate, with theft of a till, containing weights and cash, of the aggregate value of Rs. 8, belonging to Hanse Pudma, a Marwaree shroff, having his place of business at Falkland Road. The accused being of a suspicious character, their movements were watched by the detectives. On Wednesday morning they were noticed by a detective loitering about the Grant Road Railway Station, with the object as was supposed of picking the pockets of some passengers or robbing them of their luggage. Failing in their object, they left the station and proceeded towards Falkland Road, closely followed by the detective. On arriving at the locality, they found complainant's shop open, with no one to look after it. Taking advantage of the opportunity, the first two accused entered the shop, while the third one stood outside watching. In a few minutes Nos. 1 and 2 came out of the shop with the property, and were walking off, with No. 3, when the detective went forward and arrested them. The magistrate on the evidence convicted the first two accused, and sentenced them to fifteen days' rigorous imprisonment, while the third was discharged for want of sufficient evidence.

### HOME REMITTANCES.

THE following is the weekly memorandum of remittances to the Home Treasury by means of Council Bills, of the 12th March, 1896 :—

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| Budget estimate of remittance during 1895-96 ... | 17,000,000 |
| Remitted from 1st April 1895 to 7th March 1896 ... | 17,190,000 |
| Remittance in excess of the Budget estimate ... | 190,000 |


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## THE INDO-BRITISH INSTITUTION.

AN annual meeting and prize distribution of the Indo-British Institution was held at the School premises, last evening, when his Excellency Lord Sandhurst presided, and Mrs. Candy distributed the prizes.

His Excellency the Governor, accompanied by Captain Barkley Lovett,, Lovett, A.-D.-C., arrived at 5 o'clock, and was received at the entrance of the hall by the Hon. Mr. Justice Candy, Mr. H. M. Starling, Mr. R. Gilbert, the Ven'ble the Archdeacon and Rev. Mr. C. Gilder. Lord Sandhurst was then conducted to a raised dais erected at the northern end of the hall, which was very tastefully decorated with flower pots and vases. A number of ladies and gentlemen, friends and supporters of the Institution were present, among them being the Hon. Mr. Justice Candy, the Hon. Mr. Justice Jardine, the Hon. Mr. Justice Strachey, the Venerable the Archdeacon, Surgeon Lieutenant-Colonel Waters, Mr. R. Gilbert, Mr. H. M. Starling, Colonel Empson, &c.

The proceedings were opened with what was styled on the programme as scarf drill, but the seats of the representatives of the press were so arranged that nothing of the evolutions gone through by the children could be seen, nor could they see or criticize the single stick exercise by the boys on the stage. The programme, as we have already announced, included some recitation and part songs, which being well sung were much applauded by the hearers.

The Rev. C. Gilder read the report of the committee for the past year.

The committee of the Indo-British Institution, in presenting their report for the past year, again earnestly invite attention to the work and needs of the schools. The Institution, which was established in 1838, has ever since provided a home and education for the humbler classes of Anglo-Indian and Eurasian children. There were, on the 31st December last, 80 boarders in the two schools, of whom 41 were boys and 39 were girls. Thirty-four children were on the free list, and for 41 children only a portion of the cost of maintenance has been paid or promised by parents or guardians. Only 5 children are fully paid for at the rate of Rs. 18 monthly. One child is partly maintained on the interest of the late Rev. Chas. Green's Scholarship fund. During the year 18 boarders were admitted and 19 were withdrawn. There were, on the 31st December, 22 day-scholars (10 boys and 12 girls) in the two schools. The actual school attendance (inclusive of day-scholars) was 102 as against 100 in 1894.

The industrial training was inspected on the 13th December by Mr. J. Oliver, Educational Inspector, N. D. On the Boys' School, of which Mr. Ezekiel has continued in charge as Head Master, Mr. Oliver reports :—" Standard VII.—The boys in this class possess a fair knowledge of English, and a good knowledge of arithmetic. The handwriting also, in the exercise books, was fairly good. Standard V.—In this class the boys did fairly well in English history and arithmetic, but in geography. The handwriting in the exercise books was bad, and more attention should in future, be paid to the subject. Standard IV.—The boys acquitted themselves fairly well in English dictation, and well in arithmetic. The copy-books were well written. Standards III. and II.—The results in these two classes were satisfactory in all the subjects in which the boys were examined."

Of the Girls' School, under Mrs. Clancy, the Head Mistress, Mr. Oliver reports :—" Standard VII.—The girls in this class possess a good knowledge of English poetry and algebra, and a fair good knowledge of geography. The exercise-books were neatly written. Standard VI.—In this class the girls were imperfectly acquainted with the English prose books which they had studied, but they did well in arithmetic and fairly well in history. The handwriting was good. Standard V.—In this standard, the girls possess a good knowledge of English and arithmetic, and the recitation was fairly satisfactory. The exercise-books were well written. Standard IV.—In this class, the girls acquitted themselves well in geography, and fairly well in the English prose book which they had studied. The copy-books were well written. Standards III. and II.—Taken in these two classes, the results were fairly good in all the subjects. Infant Class.—The younger children in this school are taught physical drill, and they appear to make considerable progress in that branch of instruction."

The Educational Inspector concludes his report on each of the Schools as follows:—" The general appearance of the children was pleasing, and their manners were good. The School is located in an excellent building, and it has an ad-quate supply of furniture, maps, books, etc. Toe arrangements for the comfort of the children and for the maintenance of discipline appear to be satisfactory. I am of opinion that the school is a useful and well-managed institution.

The grant-in-aid of the previous seven years was received, namely, Boys' School, Rs. 761; and Girls' School, Rs. 843: total Rs. 1,604. At the request of the Right Rev. the President, the schools were examined in religious knowledge by the Rev. A. E. Davey, S. S. J. E., who reports as follows :—" The Boys school:—"The children in all the classes showed by their answers that they had mastered the text of their subjects, and had an intelligent understanding of the meaning. The answering throughout was very attentive learning." Of the Girls' School in general, Father Tovey writes :—" The examination in this school showed that the children had been carefully and intelligently taught."

Every girls and three girls competed for the Archdeacon's Scripture Prize in December, and although they failed to win it, the Committee are glad to note that they did remarkably well, attaining good places in the competition. The Boys' cricket club has done a good work during the year, winning six matches out of nine.

The income for the year has, it will be seen, a little more than covered the expenditure. The committee are consequently enabled to report a credit balance at the end of 1895 instead of a deficit as in the previous year. The subscriptions and donations received for the year, Rs. 4,447-12-0, are amounts to Rs. 4,377 as against Rs. 4,245-5-0 in 1894. There has been an increase in the church offertories, Rs. 1,722-7-7 having been received in 1895 as against Rs. 1,194-3-1 in the previous year. The committee tender their best thanks to the energy which, in response to the special appeal by the Right Rev. the Bishop, have so kindly brought the wants of these schools before their congregations. The payments received on account of boarders have been increased from Rs. 5,608 in 1894 to Rs. 4,464 12-0 in 1895. Government have contributed Rs. 1,755 towards the board and education of the destitute children on the usual capitation basis, the consolidated grant being added to the Funds. The Funds have been substantially helped during the year from the proceeds of concerts and other entertainments given in aid of the institution, Rs. 1,538-8-0 having been realized from this source. The committee desire again to express their obligations to Mrs. Candy for organizing the two successful concerts, held at Mahableshwar in May last, and in the institution, in the rains. They are indebted to Colonel Cayley, C.S.I., now in your absence Orr, Esq., for similar kindness; also to R. N. Mant, Esq., for getting up the Organ Recital held recently in St. Thomas's Cathedral. They offer their best thanks also to the ladies and gentlemen who assisted on these occasions. The total income of the general fund from all sources has been Rs. 16,904-5-7 and the year's expenditure has been Rs. 16,646-14-10, leaving a balance of Rs. 257-8-9 in favour of the Institution.

The committee acknowledge with their warmest thanks generous gifts of new clothing for both schools from the Work Guilds of their Excellencies Lady Harris and Lady Sandhurst, and for the girls' school from the "Busy Bee" Work Guild, Bombay, also the work class at Lanoli, and from Miss Gray, Bombay. But for these most acceptable gifts the year's expenditure must have been heavier. To Mrs. Candy who raised a subscription for supplying the boys with hats, and to several friends who have, from time to time, sent presents of tea, cakes, fruits, &c., the committee express their obligations. Mr. C. W. Chitty having resigned his seat on the committee, Surgeon-Lieut.-Colonel J. S. Wilkins was elected under rule 6 to fill the vacancy.

Colonel C. A. Empson, R.A., having asked to be relieved of the duties of Honorary Treasurer, on his approaching departure from India, Mr. J. C. G. Bowen has kindly accepted the invitation of the committee to fill the office. The committee take this opportunity of expressing their best thanks to Colonel Empson, and of recording their high appreciation of the valuable services rendered by him to the Institution during the past year. The committee desire to offer their best acknowledgments to the members of the Ladies' Committee for their kind supervision of the domestic arrangements of the schools, and particularly to Mrs. Candy, the Lady President, for her active interest in the welfare of the children and the prosperity of the Institution. The committee concluded their report by once more appealing to the sympathy of the public on behalf of the poor children maintained and educated in the Institution. Making allowance for the probable income from school fees and other sources, no less a sum than Rs. 700 has to be raised from month to month to defray the ordinary expenses.

Attached to the report was a historical sketch of the mission, the concluding paragraphs of which stated :—

The Rev. Chas. Gilder, who had held the office of Secretary since 1867, having resigned, was succeeded in the secretaryship, on 1st February 1893, by the Rev. C. E. de Coetlogon, Chaplain of S. John's, Colaba. The present incumbent of the office is the Rev. S. Leigh Lye, Garrison Chaplain, Dhring his predecessor Rev. Reginald Byculla as Acting Chaplain of Christ Church, Mr. Gilder officiates for him as secretary. Annual subscribers of Rs. 30 are entitled to vote at the annual meeting, and, if resident in Bombay, are eligible to serve on the committee.

The Venerable the Archdeacon, in moving the adoption of the report, remarked that it was the wittiest one he had ever read, not that, there was anything humorous in it, but the committee being far too academic to indulge in any such things, but that brevity of sentences and appropriate expressions were used to denote the exact things. As he always acknowledged the work the president criticized the details of the report, and he did not propose to deal with the report in extenso. He would only direct the attention of the ladies and gentlemen present to a point in the first paragraph of the report, where their attention was invited to the funds and needs of the school. Members of the committee had exercised their ingenuity in devising all possible means in their power for the improvement of the funds of the institution; concerts were held, sale of works was held, and the lady friends had exercised their characteristic kind influences to get the members of their sex to subscribe to the funds of the schools. They all wished, the Archdeacon was sure, that another sum of Rs. 1,300 would shortly be added to the funds.

Mr. H. M. Starling seconded the proposal, which was carried.

The officiating secretary next announced that the following gentlemen were elected to fill the vacancies on the committee :—Colonel Mein, Mr. George Coxton, and Mr. Felton.

Mr. R. Gilbert, in moving the appointment of Mr. C. E. Palmer as the auditor to audit the accounts of the year, called attention of the hearers to the fact that the expenditure during the last year was less than the receipts, and the sums of money received by them in shape of donations and subscriptions were a hundred rupees more than last year. Yet he wished to remind them that there was much room left unoccupied in the school building but owing to want of enough funds to provide food and clothing they could not utilise the room and receive more children. Comparing the figures, Mr. Gilbert said that though the funds of the Institution was only one-thirdeth of those of the Byculla Schools, yet they were doing as much if not more than that institution. With the fact that there was more room in the building, he sincerely hoped that the public would take more interest and come forward with more subscriptions and donations to enable them to receive more children. He also appealed to his Roman Catholic brethren, who were endeavouring their best to maintain hundreds of Christian children and if they could assist more cast away children could be kept in this Institution.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Waters seconded the proposal.

Mrs. Candy then gave away the prizes, and the children sang the remaining songs on the programme.

Lord Sandhurst, who was received with loud cheers then said :—Ladies and Gentlemen,—Whenever I attend—and it appears to me I attend frequently—a prize-distribution, the first item on the programme to which I direct my eye is " Address by the Chairman." An address always denote a long speech. I therefore should be glad to see on the programme, "The Chairman will say a few words." (A Laugh.) It has given me very great pleasure to come here and preside this evening. I will now proceed to make a remark or two on the report, like the previous speakers. I will at once go to the business part of the report. The question of funds is one in regard to which all charitable institutions—not individual but public—are always in difficulties. I understand this year you have more accommodation and room, but you have not got funds to pay for the board and lodging of the children. I have a great deal of experience about charitable institutions as I had to do a good deal with their management for 6 or 7 years. We always tried to make a building of our own, and when do all we can to make it as as large and commodious as possible. In the same manner what I would ask the members of the committee to do is that, whatever money, subscriptions or donations that you receive should be spent upon and devoted to the building, that is to say improve your building, and so on. When you have spent all your money so, you must go to the public and demand funds. If they believe in you they will give you more money to educate and maintain children in that building; if they do not pay, then they do not believe in you, and that your management must be wrong. I do not think as in England you have numerous wealthy municipalities, and some kind of English public upon whom you count to draw funds for such institutions. However, I should like people to get up monthly and annual subscriptions. For, even if small, annual subscriptions form the backbone of the funds of an institution. Certain persons will be ready to assist when they know the fact that you have ample space for more children who can, if only funds be benefited by being trained and educated in this excellent institution. I quite agree with the Venerable Archdeacon that the management and education given here are exceedingly satisfactory, and with regard to the finances you are able to show still a surplus. This announcement in the report is an encouragement to the people who are desirous of paying subscriptions or donations, because they will at once see that there is nothing which the executive intends to keep out or hush up with a view to get more money from the public; many do so, as I know from my own experience. I have not heard better singing in any school I have attended in Bombay since I am here, than what I heard on this platform to-day. I am glad to notice the dexterity with which the boys performed the stick exercise, and they were in such close proximity while trying to hit each other on the head, that the Hon. Mr. Justice Jardine, who was sitting near them, was afraid of being hurt, but fortunately escaped damage. (Laughter.) I do not think this institution requires very much to be commended to the Protestant public of Bombay. It is clear from this year's report that no doubt much good will come from the influence of the Indo-British Institution to the Natives. Perhaps owing to the influence of this Institution the British and Natives will both be benefited as they will sur

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## BOMBAY MARKET REPORT.

FRIDAY EVENING, MARCH 13.

BUSINESS in our chief export staple has continued to drag this week, as far as shippers are concerned, and prices declined daily for a time; but local spinners have increased their purchases, and the feeling has been steady on the whole throughout. In Wheat there has been no movement to speak of, and purchases have been upon a moderate scale in a generally steady market, which has also been the case with Seeds, in which, however, rates for Linseed have advanced somewhat, while those for Rapeseed have declined. Rates of Exchange after advancing 3-32d. above last Friday's closing quotations, lost the greater part of the rise, but leave off this evening 1-32d. higher than they were a week ago for both classes of Paper. The Money Market has been quiet. Government Paper has advanced 3-8ths per cent. Freights close very dull, very little business having been reported in any position during the week. A fair business has been done in Imports, prices generally having been maintained.

MONEY remained scarce during the period covered by the Statement of Affairs of the Presidency Bank issued on Monday; but the demand for accomodation and the Bank's Cash Balance showed an addition of some 17¼ lakhs, at 121¼ lakhs, compared with a diminution to a rather larger extent disclosed by the previous Return. Last week there was a material increase in Private Deposits, and in Bills Discounted there was a reduction of ¼ lakh; while, on the other hand, Loans were greater by nearly 9 lakhs, trade requirements having thus shown a net decrease of 8¾ lakhs, compared with an increase of 23¼ lakhs in the week preceding. Government Securities were realised to the extent of 17¼ lakhs, which about represented the gain in the Cash Balance, the greater part of the addition caused by the reduction in the trade demand having been absorbed by a material net diminution in Public Deposits.

Meantime the feeling in the market has been quiet, and the minimum rate of the Bank of Bombay remains at 7 per cent.

EXCHANGE.—Last mail day the market opened with a dull feeling at 1s. 2 21-32d. for Bank Telegraphic and Demand, and at 1s. 2½ to 25-32d. for three months' sight Credits. For Bank remittance there was no enquiry, and the rate improved to 1s. 2 11-16d., at which business was reported. On Monday the market was steady, and Telegraphic and Demand, for Bank remittance, were quoted at 1s. 2 11-16d. and three months' sight Credits at 1s. 2 13-16d., from which rates advanced 1-16d. for Bank Demand, and 1-32 to 1-16d. for Telegraphic and Mercantile Bills. Firm at opening the following day, rates were quoted at 1s. 2¾d. for Bank Telegraphic and Demand, and at 1s. 2 27-32d. for three months' sight Credits. For March delivery a fair amount of Merchants' Paper and of Bank remittance was reported; but the bazaar continued strong buyers, and the rate for the latter receded 1-32d. On Wednesday the market opened with a dull feeling at 1s. 2 23-32d. for Bank Telegraphic and Demand, and at 1s. 2 27-32d. for three months' sight Credits, Bank Telegraphic having been also available for transfer in the first half of April at 1s. 2 11-16d. The Bazaar, however, came out as buyers of Bank Paper, and rates receded 1-32d. temporarily, Merchants' Bills having been placed to some extent. The bazaar then turned round as sellers, and the market closed steady, yesterday rates were quoted at 1s. 2 11-16d. for Bank Telegraphic and Demand, at which a moderate amount was given; and thereafter they receded 1-32d. Three months' sight Credits were quoted at 1s. 2 25-32d. at opening, and later on 1s. 2¾d. was named, and done to a small extent. This morning, the market opened steady at 1s. 2 11-16d., for Bank Telegraphic and Demand, and at 1s. 2 25-32d. for 3 months' sight Credits, remaining thereat throughout the day, with but little bona-fide business passing, though a fair amount is reported to have been done by spectators, both ways, the market closing quiet but steady as follows:—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bank Bills on Demand | ... | 1s. 2 11-16d. |
| Do. Telegraphic | ... | 1s. 2 11-16d. |
| Do. 3 months' sight | ... | 1s. 2 23-32d. |
| Do. 4 do. | ... | 1s. 2¾d. |
| Do. 6 do. | ... | 1s. 2 13-16d. |
| Credits 3 do. | ... | 1s. 2 13-16d. |
| „ 6 do. | ... | 1s. 2 27-32d. |
| Documents 3 do. | ... | 1s 2 27-32d. |
| „ 6 do. | ... | 1s. 2 7-8d. |
| Francs 3 do. | ... | 1·56 |
| „ 6 do. | ... | 1·56¼ |
| 3½ per cent. do. | ... | 107 3-8 |

GOVERNMENT PAPER.—On Friday last the market was firm during the greater part of the day at 106 7-8 for Cash and 107 1-8 for the Settlement at the end of the month; but at the close there was a rather weaker feeling, and rates left off slightly lower. The market was quiet in tone on Monday, but without much change from the previous day's quotations, 106 15-16 being named for Cash and 107 1-16 for the 30th instant. Towards the close, however, there was an upward tendency, and an advance of 1-16 per cent. on these rates was named. At opening on Tuesday rates were quiet but steady, and the quotations of 107⅛ for Money and 107¼ for Account, at which the market opened, were maintained to the close. The following day the market was steady in tone at some advance in rates, the quotation for Cash having been 107 5-16, and the same for the next settling day; but at the close there was a weaker feeling, and prices left off 1-16 per cent. lower in both positions. Yesterday rates opened on a slightly lower level, but remained steady at 107¼ both for Money and Account, at which also the market closed with a quiet but steady feelings. To-day the feeling has been firm, and rates have advanced to 107 7-16 both for cash and the near settlement, at which also they closed this evening.

Municipal five per cent. Loan is 4 per cent. higher at 129. Port Trust Bonds have advanced 3 per cent. to 110.

SHARES.—The past week has been a quiet one in this market, but, upon the whole the changes which have taken place in the principal line of Cotton Mill Scrip have been more in buyers' than in sellers' favour, compared with our quotations, of a week ago we note the following changes, viz., a decline of Rs. 20, in Queen Mill shares; of Rs. 10 each, in Indian Manufacturing, and Presidency; of Rs. 7½, in Manockjee Petit; of Rs. 5, in Empress; of Rs. 4½, in Jamshed; and of Rs. 2½ each, in Mazagon, and Swadeshi; and an advance of Rs. 20 each, in Central India, and Ripon; of Rs. 10, in Khandeish; of Rs. 5, in David; and of Rs. 2½ each, in Leopold, Oriental, and Sun. In Presses, Khangaon, and Volkarts, are Rs. 10 lower Colabs, Rs. 5; New Indian, Rs. 3; and Mofussil, Rs. 2½; Sind, are Rs. 25 higher. In miscellaneous shares Bombay-Burma Trading, have declined Rs. 75, in the first issue; and Rs. 20, in the second; Delhi, Northern India Flour, and Bombay Flour, Rs. 5 each; Port Canning, Rs. 2½; and Telephone and Co., Rs. 2; while Thacker and Co., have advanced Rs. 3; Kemp and Co., Rs. 2½; and Telephone, Re. 1. In Banks, Bank of Bengal, are Rs. 5 lower; Commmercial and Land Mortgage, Re. 1½; and Bank of Bombay, Re. 1¼ up.

### IMPORTS.

PIECE-GOODS.—A fair business has transpired during the past week in staple *Grey Goods* at fully current rates. In the early part of the week the decline in Cotton encouraged up-country buyers to ask for a reduction in prices; but latterly that disposition has almost entirely disappeared, and full rates have ruled in the market. For *Bleached, Dyed, Turkey Red*, and *Printed Goods* there has been a moderate demand at last quotations. *Local-by-made Goods* show no change. The Clearances of *Imported Goods* from the Bazaar during the week have been about 4,100 packages; and of *Local* some 2,000 bales.

YARNS.—The market for *Imported Twist* has been steady in tone, with a moderate amount of business passing on the basis of previous rates. In *Local Spinnings*, the contraction of the volume of business, and the last fortnightly quotations at Hongkong has made the market very dull, and rates are nearly 1-8th anna per lb. lower as compared with last week's quotations. Spinners generally are averse to accept this reduction; but speculators who have some lots on hand, are selling in small lots at the abovementioned reduction. The week's sales have aggregated about 1,500 bales; and the market closed quiet at the following official quotations:—

| | | | | | |
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| Twist..... | No. 6s | Mule, As. | 4½ | to 4 3-8 | per lb. |
| „ ..... | „ 8s | „ | „ 4 3-8 | „ 4½ | „ |
| „ ..... | „ 10s | „ | „ 4½ | „ 5 | „ |
| „ ..... | „ 12s | „ | „ 4 7-8 | „ 5 1-8 | „ |
| „ ..... | „ 16s | „ | „ 5½ | „ 6 | „ |
| „ ..... | „ 20s | „ | „ 5 7-8 | „ 6½ | „ |
| „ ..... | „ 24s | „ | „ 6½ | „ 6¾ | „ |
| „ ..... | „ 30s | „ | „ 6 7-8 | „ 7 1-8 | „ |
| „ ..... | „ 40s | „ | „ 8 | „ 8½ | „ |

METALS.—The price of *Copper* has declined 8 annas per cwt and that of *Yellow Metal* to half that extent, the tone of the former market having been steady, and that of the latter quiet, a moderate amount of business having been reported in both. *Iron* has also been in moderate request, and is steady and unchanged in value.

FREIGHTS.—Sales have been reported this week of *Wallace's Merthyr* in harbour, at Rs. 18½ to 18 3-8 per ton; and of *Davison's* ready at Rs. 18½ per ton. Importers are buying *Powell's*, February-March, and March-April, shipment at Rs. 18 per ton; and *Davison's West Hartley*, in the same position, at Rs. 17½ per ton. We quote alongside:—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Welsh Hartley..... | Rs. 17½ | per ton. |
| West do. ..... | „ 18½ | „ |
| Australian ..... | „ 16½ | „ |
| Powell's Duffryn... | „ 19½ | „ |
| Cardiff ..... | „ 18½ | „ |
| Japan ..... | „ 14 | „ |

IMPORTS OF PIECE-GOODS AND YARNS.—We give below our usual monthly comparative Statement of the shipments of *Cotton Cloth* and *Twist* to the three Presidencies, from which it appears that the missions to Bombay for last month were in excess of those in the previous month, and also compared with those in February last year—greatly so in the case of the principal item of *Plain Cottons* and especially in the first comparison. Shipments of *Twist* were also greater in February than in January, and than in February, 1895. A comparison of the shipments to this Presidency only for the first two months of the present year shows a large increase in every item of *Cotton Goods*, and some addition in Twist.

| Bombay— | Feb. 1896. | Jan. 1896. | Feb. 1896. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Plain Cottons... yds. | 88,000,000 | 29,350,000 | 41,100,000 |
| Coloured do. ... „ | 5,500,000 | 5,000,000 | 2,950,000 |
| Printed do. ... „ | 10,050,000 | 8,600,000 | 5,700,000 |
| Twist ..... lbs. | 1,350,000 | 1,050,000 | 1,000,000 |
| Calcutta— | | | |
| Plain Cottons... yds. | 90,800,000 | 84,100,000 | 49,300,000 |
| Coloured do. ... „ | 5,050,000 | 5,850,000 | 1,200,000 |
| Printed do. ... „ | 3,500,000 | 3,400,000 | 950,000 |
| Twist ..... lbs. | 1,050,000 | 1,400,000 | 50,000 |
| Madras— | | | |
| Plain Cottons... yds. | 3,600,000 | 1,750,000 | 13,200,000 |
| Coloured do. ... „ | 950,000 | 350,000 | 1,200,000 |
| Printed do. ... „ | 1,900,000 | 1,150,000 | 3,000,000 |
| Twist ..... lbs. | 1,500,000 | 750,000 | 1,200,000 |

| Bombay only for 2 months— | 1896. | 1895. |
|---|---|---|
| Plain Cottons ..... yds. | 117,850,000 | 95,200,000 |
| Coloured do. ..... „ | 10,500,000 | 6,800,000 |
| Printed do. ..... „ | 18,650,000 | 13,600,000 |
| Twist ..... lbs. | 2,400,000 | 2,300,000 |

### EXPORTS.

COTTON.—A very limited business has been done again during the past week in this staple by exporters; but local spinners have been larger buyers. The tone of the market has been generally steady; but prices, in the earlier part of the week, declined Re. 1 to Rs. 3 per candy daily, though latterly there has been some re-action. The business done by exporters sums up about 5,000 bales, consisting of purchases of ready new Oomrawuttee descriptions, Bengal, Broach, and Bhowngur, Dholleras, and including a contract for New Dharwar, for May delivery, while the Mills have taken about 8,500 bales of the same descriptions of ready stuff. This evening the market closed with a steady feeling, a moderate business having been done during the day.

The Receipts of Cotton of this season's crop into Bombay during the past week have been 52,000 bales, compared with 59,000 bales in the week preceding, and 30,500 bales in the corresponding week last year; and the excess in arrivals of new Cotton this season, compared with last, now stands at 629,500 bales.

The following are to-day's quotations for full-pressed Cotton with the equivalents in sterling, cost, and freight to Liverpool, via Canal, without Commission, viz.:—

| Cotton— | March | Per candy. | Per lb. C. & F. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bengal, Fine | „ | Rs. | 169—3-32. |
| Do. Fully Good | „ | „ | 153—2 27-32. |
| Do. Good | „ | „ | 143—2 11-16. |
| Salsette, Fine | „ | „ | 173—3 5-32. |
| Do. Fully Good | „ | „ | 163—3d. |
| Khandeish, Fully Good | „ | „ | 168—3 3-32. |
| Oomra, Fully Good | „ | „ | 183—3 5-16. |
| Dholleras, Fine | May | „ | 202—3 21-32. |
| Do. Fully Good | „ | „ | 193—3 1-32. |
| Do. Good | „ | „ | 183—3 13-32. |
| S G Dharwar, Good | „ | „ | 195—3 17-32. |
| Westerns | „ | „ | 187—3 13-32. |
| Broach, Fine | March | „ | 207—3 11-16. |
| Do. Good | „ | „ | 205—3 21-32. |

The Arrivals of New Cotton into Bombay this season, as compared with last, are as follows:—

| | Season 1895-96. | Season 1894-95. |
|---|---|---|
| | F. P. Bales. | F. P. Bales. |
| Bengals ..... | 247,000 | 96,500 |
| Berar ..... | 292,500 | 132,500 |
| Khandeish ..... | 225,500 | 135,300 |
| Barsi and Nugger ..... | 60,500 | 20,500 |
| Hingunghat ..... | 13,000 | 800 |
| Peniam and Sind ..... | 25,000 | 8,000 |
| Broach ..... | 95,000 | 400 |
| Dhollera ..... | 87,500 | 22,500 |
| | 1,046,000 | 416,500 |

The movements of Cotton to date show the following comparisons with the previous two years:—

| Receipts. | 1896. Bales. | 1895. Bales. | 1894. Bales. |
|---|---|---|---|
| For the week ..... | 53,399 | 31,847 | 69,962 |
| From 1st Jan. to 12th March..... | 639,655 | 355,402 | 595,266 |
| Clearances to Great Britain and Continent. | | | |
| For the week..... | 21,752 | 6,472 | 38,446 |
| From 1st Jan. to 12th March..... | 256,933 | 74,219 | 261,810 |
| Clearances to Calcutta, China, &c. | | | |
| For the week ..... | 12,269 | 461 | 5,570 |
| From 1st Jan. to 12th March..... | 70,051 | 23,397 | 24,500 |

WHEAT has been generally steady in tone since the date of our last report, with a small or moderate business passing for shippers' account, but beyond a decline of one anna per cwt., in *Hard Yellow* there has been no movement to speak of in prices which have remained as follows:—

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| White Pessy, 91 per cent. | Rs. 4-11-0 | per cwt. |
| Do do. 85 „ ..... | „ 4-10-0 | „ |
| No. 1 Club Delhi..... | „ 4-10-0 | „ |
| Red Delhi ..... | „ 4-9-0 | „ |
| Hard Yellow ..... | „ 4-9-0 | „ |
| Red Ahmedabad ..... | „ 4-8-6 | „ |
| Hard Red..... | „ 3-9-6 | „ |

SEEDS have been taken to a moderate extent by exporters in a steady market. Prices of *Linseed* have advanced 2 annas per cwt., while those of *Rapeseed* have declined 3 annas per cwt.; other descriptions remaining unchanged, the following being our closing quotations this evening:—

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Linseed ..... | Rs. 6-10-0 | to Rs. 6-12-0 | per cwt |
| Rapeseed, Yellow Guserat. | „ 7-0-0 | to „ 7-1-1 | „ |
| Do. do. Cawnpore | „ 6-13-0 | | „ |
| Do. Red do..... | „ 6-2-0 | to „ 6-4-0 | „ |
| Gingelly White ..... | „ 40-8-0 | to „ 41-8-0 | „ |
| Do. Mixed..... | „ 37-8-0 | to „ 38-8-0 | „ |

The Comparative Imports of Wheat and Seeds are as follows:—

| | 1896. cwts. | 1895. cwts. | 1894. cwts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat for the week..... | 82,128 | 66,017 | 70,306 |
| Do. from 1st Jan. to 12th March ..... | 796,588 | 607,616 | 807,151 |
| Linseed for the week..... | 136,175 | 137,271 | 267,087 |
| Do. from 1st Jan. to 12th March ..... | 1,045,830 | 877,186 | 1,422,762 |
| Rapeseed for the week ... | 19,861 | 46,255 | 69,897 |
| Do. from 1st Jan. to 12th March..... | 83,295 | 193,925 | 416,836 |
| Gingellyseed for the week | 24,903 | 27,464 | 31,336 |
| Do. from 1st Jan. to 12th March ..... | 616,009 | 473,838 | 550,375 |

The Clearances of Wheat and Seeds to Great Britain and Continent are as follows:—

| | 1896. cwts. | 1895. cwts. | 1894. cwts. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Wheat for the week ..... | 24,034 | 9,430 | 42,154 |
| Do. from 1st Jan. to 12th March ..... | 161,109 | 119,556 | 631,200 |
| Linseed for the week ... | 210,611 | 18,407 | 158,298 |
| Do. from 1st Jan. to 12th March ..... | 539,184 | 458,347 | 774,253 |
| Rapeseed for the week ... | 3,991 | 3,513 | 38,422 |
| Do. from 1st Jan. to 12th March..... | 236,179 | 248,589 | 341,450 |
| Gingellyseed for the week | 74,128 | 70,136 | 92,442 |
| Do. from 1st Jan. to 12th March..... | 574,145 | 501,614 | 469,273 |

## TELEGRAPHIC LINE REPORT.

MARCH 13.

STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.

GREAT BRITAIN.—Via Teheran perfect. Via Turkey, perfect. Via Suez, perfect.

CONTINENT OF EUROPE.—Via Teheran, perfect. Via Turkey, perfect. Via Suez, perfect.

AMERICA.—Via Brest, perfect. Via Valentia, perfect. Via Direct Cable, perfect.

AUSTRALIA.—Via Penang, perfect. Via Amoor, perfect.

CHINA.—Via Penang, perfect. Via Amoor, perfect. Via Bhamo, interrupted.

AFRICA.—Via Aden, perfect. Via Cadiz-Tenerife, perfect. Via Lisbon St. Vincent, perfect.

Bhamo route to China interrupted beyond the British frontier between Kwelshwen ta and Ishanee.

Moulmein route to Siam interrupted within Indian frontier.

All Burma lines interrupted, route via Assam open one wire

Madagascar and Reunion mail closes at Mauritius midnight Sunday 11th instant.

## *THE BOMBAY GAZETTE OVERLAND SUMMARY.*

*(Compiled for despatch by the Weekly Mail to Europe.)*

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# TELEGRAMS.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

## GOVERNMENT AND THE VOLUNTEER FORCES.

LONDON, MARCH 13.

The British Government will make an advance half-yearly of a capitation grant of three-quarters of a million sterling to the Volunteer forces. This will bring the latter into closer relations with the War Office.

## ADVANCE OF THE EGYPTIAN ARMY ON DONGOLA.

The *Times'* Cairo correspondent telegraphs that Egyptian troops advance immediately to occupy Dongola, representations having been previously made to the British Government that an armed demonstration was desirable owing to the restlessness of the Dervishes.

The defeat of the Italians has hastened matters.

## THE DERVISH ADVANCE ON KASSALA.

Reuter's correspondent at Massowah telegraphs that the Dervish Cavalry are in sight of Kassala.

## THE NEW CHINESE LOAN.

The new Chinese loan contract provides that the Customs Service shall remain unaltered.

## THE ASHANTEE EXPEDITION.

MARCH 12.

The Hon. W. Brodrick, Under-Secretary for War, replying to a question in the House of Commons, said that the troops engaged in the Ashantee expedition would receive a donation of one month's pay.

## PORTUGAL AND ENGLAND.

Portugal is negotiating with Great Britain regarding an Extradition Treaty between India and Portugal.

## GERMANY AND AUSTRIA.

BERLIN, MARCH 13.

The Interviews which Count Goluchowski, Austrian Foreign Minister, has had with the Emperor William, have confirmed the existing accord between Austria and Germany on all points.

## ITALY NEGOTIATING FOR PEACE.

ROME, MARCH 13.

Italy has opened peace negotiations with King Menelik, and the departure of further Italian reinforcements for Abyssinia has been suspended.

## THE VENEZUELA QUESTION.

WASHINGTON, MARCH 12.

It is believed here that a peaceful settlement of the Venezuelan question is certain. The attitude of Venezuela is also more conciliatory.

## THE MAILS.

ADEN, MARCH 12.

The P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Shannon, with the homeward mails of the 7th instant, arrived here, at 5 p.m., to-day.

## A.K.C.S.I. FOR GENERAL BRACKENBURY.

[FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.]

CALCUTTA, MARCH 13.

General Brackenbury will be privately invested with a K. C. S. I., next week, by his Excellency the Viceroy.

## THE LADY DUFFERIN FUND.

The eleventh annual meeting of the Countess of Dufferin's Fund was held, this afternoon, in the Town Hall, his Excellency the Viceroy presiding.

The Hon. Mr. J. Woodburn presented and moved the adoption of the report, and said that the cardinal fact of the report was that over a million patients were treated in the hospitals and dispensaries connected with the Fund. The funds of the Central Committee were, however, at a standstill, and the Committee must, therefore, be content to let the scheme develop independently, reserving the aid which its own investments enabled it to give for special occasions. The funds in the Madras Presidency had made remarkable advance, in answer to the special appeal from Lady Wenlock, just as they had two years ago in answer to the special appeal of Lady Elliott. In Bombay, the receipts did not equal the disbursements, but he had no doubt this single defect in India would be remedied, for nowhere had there been more noble charities than in Bombay. In conclusion, he said, he thought they would be gratified in being encouraged by the progress detailed in the report.

The Hon. Mr. Ananda Charlu seconded the motion, which was put and carried unanimously.

His Excellency the Viceroy said there was one circumstance which made it particularly appropriate that he should be there to-day. He had during the last few months been suffering from illness, and was in a position to certify that the two officials who stood at the head of the Association were well-versed in the art of healing. His Excellency then went on to congratulate the Association on the good results shown, and on their continued progress. The fact that the number of patients exceeded a million must be held a satisfactory feature. He then alluded specially to the excellent work done by the Mysore and Madras branches, and referred to the loss the latter branch would suffer by the impending departure of Lord and Lady Wenlock. In conclusion, his Excellency said the meeting marched one step more in the successful progress of a great movement, and he trusted that as time went on successive meetings would show a successful record of progress in this important work.

## BOMBAY COMMAND ORDERS.

POONA, MARCH 13.

Military Works Department—Major Davidson, R.E., on return from leave, is posted to the Office of the Chief Engineer, Bombay Command, Military Works.

The portion of Bombay Command Order, No. 131, dated the 6th March, 1896, relating to Lieutenant Ogilvie, R.E., is cancelled.

With reference to Bombay Command Order, No. 89, dated the 14th ultimo, it is notified that Brigadier-General French, G. M. G., Colonel on the Staff, R.A., Bombay Command, will hold charge of his present appointment until relieved by Colonel Savage, R.A., on vacating the Command of the Poona District on the 29th instant.

Major-General Blundell, British Service, is directed to proceed to England, travelling at the public expense. Major-General Blundell has been permitted by the Secretary of State for War to visit Japan on the completion of the tenure of his appointment.

The undermentioned officers are qualified for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant:—20th Hussars—Second-Lieutenants Lee, Gosset, and Bramley.

Army Medical Staff—Surgeon-Captain Thacker, on arrival from England, is posted to the Bombay District.

Surgeon-Lieutenant Collins, on arrival from England, is posted to the Mhow District.

The undermentioned officers of the Royal Artillery have passed in Range-finding, as stated against their names:—Lieutenant Bell, 36 h Field Battery, 85 (very good); and Second-Lieutenant Symons, 40th Field Battery, 95 (excellent).

Colonel Dyce, R.A.G., who has been appointed as Assistant Adjutant-General on the establishment of the Bombay Command, is posted to the Quetta District.

Under instructions received from the War Office, it is notified that Major Shute, on promotion to that rank from the Seconded List, has been posted, as a temporary measure, to No. 23 Company, Southern Division, R. A., in the room of Major Leslie, whose posting thereto is cancelled.

Captain Lambert, No. 22 Company, Western Division, R. A., has been posted to the 72nd Field Battery, in the room of Captain Barrard, appointed to an Adjutancy of the Militia Artillery.

Second-Lieutenant Pattison, on his first appointment, has been posted to No. 3 Company, Southern Division, R. A., in the room of Lieutenant Harrington, appointed to the Hyderabad Contingent.

The undermentioned officer is granted leave to proceed out of India, on private affairs, under the leave rules for the Staff Corps, the specified period to count from the date of being struck off duty:—Captain Elphinstone, R. C., Wing Officer, 7th Bombay Infantry, for one year.

The undermentioned officers have leave out of India, on private affairs, on the dates and for the periods specified against their names:—

Royal Artillery—Captain Hussey, 40th Field Battery, seven months, on urgent private affairs, out of India.

Lieutenant Oldfield, 35th Field Battery, six months, on private affairs, out of India.

20th Hussars—Second-Lieutenant W. H. Hewett, six months, on medical certificate, out of India.

2nd South Lancashire Regiment—Lieutenant Willoughby Osborne, five months, 2nd, private affairs, out of India.

Royal Engineers (Bombay Sappers and Miners)—Lieutenant Hibbert, seven months, on medical certificate, out of India.

Ordnance Department—Deputy Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Harrison, Regimental Unattached List, from the 25th February to the 24th August.

9th Bombay Infantry—Lieutenant Darling, on extension of six months on medical certificate, granted by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India.

## *GAZETTE OF INDIA* NOTIFICATIONS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, MARCH 13.

Home Department—The services of Colonel Bowie are replaced at the disposal of the Military Department.

Mr. J. Posford is permitted to resign the Civil Service.

The services of Mr. Manisty, Officiating Accountant-General, Bengal, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

Surgeon Lieutenant-Colonel Crombie is granted seven months' furlough.

Surgeon-Major Cobb officiates as Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel.

Mr. O'Brien is granted furlough for 219 days.

Mr. Joubert is granted furlough for 216 days.

Mr. Campbell is appointed to officiate as Senior Medical Officer, Port Blair, vice MacDonald, granted eight months' leave.

Revenue and Agriculture Department—Lieutenant Colonel Gore is granted furlough for six months.

Military Department.—Major Grant is appointed D. A. A.-G. for Musketry, Bombay Command, vice Lieutenant-Colonel Curtis.

Colonel Hart is appointed in Command of the Second-class District, with the temporary rank of Brigadier-General Pearson.

Major Lushington is appointed to the 1st Infantry H. C., vice Shakespear.

Captain Lewin to be Second-in-Command, 2nd Infantry H. C., vice Lushington.

Brigade-Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Hutchison is granted the temporary rank of Surgeon-Colonel, while officiating as Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Bengal.

Major Bird is appointed Controller of Military Accounts, Bengal, vice Thomas.

The following officers have been admitted to the Staff Corps:—Lieutenants Oatley and Fulton.

Promotions—To be Majors—Captains Craster, Penrose, and Lyster.

Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Freyer is permitted to retire from the Service.

The Volunteer Officers' decoration is conferred on Major (Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel) F. J. James, retired.

## LEAVE.

The Hon. Dr. Lethbridge leaves Bombay on the 4th April by the Peninsular, on six months' leave.

Mr. C. S. Bayley officiates in the Thuggi and Dacoity Department.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

## STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

HONGKONG, MARCH 13.

The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Brindisi, left here for Bombay, yesterday afternoon.

ADEN, MARCH 12.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Rewa, left here this morning.

## COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, MARCH 12.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed steady. Surats quiet.

| | |
|---|---|
| Good Dholleras | 3 9-16 |

The Manchester market has been steady.

| | |
|---|---|
| 2½ per cent. Consols | 109 15-16 |
| 3 per cent. Rentes | 102¾ |
| 3½ per cent. Sterling Loan | 119½ |
| 3½ per cent. Rupee Paper | 65 3-8 |
| Bar Silver | 31 7-16 |

The Bank of England returns for the week ending yesterday, show the following results:—Total Bullion, £48,000,000, decrease £100,000; Public Deposits, £18,600,000, increase £600,000; Other Deposits, £40,300,000, decrease £800,000; Other Securities, £27,500,000, increase; 500,000 Notes and Gold, £40,600,000, increase £200,000. The Bank's Reserve is 62 per cent. of the Liabilities.

## PASSENGERS BY THE HOMEWARD MAILS.

THE P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Ganges, Captain T. F. Creery, will sail to-day for London, Brindisi, and Venice, with the English mails and the following passengers:—

FOR LONDON.

Barton, Lieut J P, R N
Brohman, Miss A L
Bostock, Miss
Bostock, Mr
Cameron, Miss
Davies, Mrs Hilton
Davies, Mr C Hilton
Eberle, Miss
Everett, Capt
Fraser, Miss Dr J, M D
Harris, Miss
Hobday, Mr J H
Hickman, Mr
Luckstedt, Mr
Lang, Lieut
Leslie, Mr
Maclagan, Revd P J
Mackenzie, Mr
More, Capt and family
Maude, Mr W, I C S
Parrett, Miss A A
Pearson, Mr, Mrs and maid
Pyle, Mr E Elliot
Reynold, Mrs H W and family
Ross, Miss
Rait, Mrs
Rogers, Mr J
Swinton, Miss
Scott, Mr
Saunders, Mr
Wallers, Mrs

FOR BRINDISI.

Abe, Mr
Alston, Mr H
Aylmer, Mrs
Biscoe, Miss
Bigge, Mr W
Bigge, Miss
Campbell, Mr Jas
Evans, Mrs
Hunt, Col
Johnson, Myer Sir Henry
Kenna, Capt P A
Livsay, Mr C H
Macdonald, Mr L
Macdonald, Mr M N
Merwanjee, Mr P
Merwanjee, Mr H
Nishigawaa, Mr and Mrs
Rae, Revd R J
Sakumoto, Mr
Sylmer, Mrs

FOR VENICE.

Alexander, Lieut C H
Bailey, Col C A
Barry, Mr and Mrs A
Burns, Capt and Mrs K P
Baker, Capt
Clerk, Mr and Mrs
Cooke, Hr Genl Cooke
Davies, Capt C Hilton
DeRenzy, Surg Genl
Dauck, Miss
Drenman, Mr J M
Foreman, Mr and Mrs
Gregory, Miss E J
Hey, Mr J
Hume, Mr
Lawder, Capt and Mrs and child
Maynard, Mr and Mrs Maxwell
Milen, Mrs
Myrent, Capt
Nicholson, Mr and Mrs J H
Nicholson, Mr E Prisons,
Pigott, Hon Mr Justice
Palmer, Mr and two Master
Reid, Mr M
Richardson, Mr and Mrs W
Rochford, Col and Mrs F F C
Redick, Major R D B
Sultan-ul-Mulk, Nawab
Scatcherd, Mr and Mrs.
Tomkinson, Col
Valentine, Mr Reid
White, Mr and Mrs
White, Mr and Mrs J G
Webber, Miss
Wrot-oppwhite, Surg Capt
Woodyatt, Capt N

FOR ISMAILIA.

Hoare, Mr, and Mrs A K and maid
Schmidell, Mr, and Mrs
Seyd, Mr
Comt Hochboy va'et

FOR GIBRALTER.—Clerk, Mr and Mrs G R.

FOR PORT SAID.—Brannan Miss.

FOR ADEN.—Mr C Rultonjee.

The following passages have been engaged:—

Per s s Caledonia, Capt W B Andrews, 21st March, 1896.

For Marseilles—Mr R Boteler; Mrs Dunnaney, Hon Mackinnon and Mrs F A Nicholson; Miss Nicholson; Mr and Mrs C H Hill; Miss A M Smith; Miss Clift; Mr and Mrs Maconochy and child; Hon Mr and Mrs Justice R J Boyle; Mr Mackenzie; Mrs F A Keanison; Mrs Frank Goodwin; Mrs H Armstrong; Mr and Mrs J Saunders; Mr H Bemay; Mr Bushman; Mr A Patterson; Miss Patterson; Mrs H B Yates and child; Mr Agnew; Mr S Tremeame; Colonel Sir W Shadi Dalmia; Miss Hudson; Mr and Mrs John Dalgleish; Hay; Capt and Mrs Scott; Miss Lewis; Mr R B Major; Miss Major; Miss K Major; Mr and Mrs C Campbell; Mrs Vereybolt; Miss Bramwell; Mr J W Sweet; Mr and Mrs R A Malloy; Miss Malloy; Mrs C D Pendlebury; Mr F E Hulbert; Miss Hulbert; Mr and Mrs Hugh Kelly; Mr and Mrs A Douglas and infant; Mrs FitzGerald; Miss Crimmin; Mr W S Sullivan; Mr W H Grimley; Mrs and two Misses Grimley; Mr A V Phillips; Mr J N Muir; Mrs McLeod; Mr W Prater; Mr E Ezra; Mr H Mitchell; Mrs R D Murray and child; Rev and Mrs H Gold-smith; Mr and Mrs Winter and child; Mrs Mitwinter; Miss Mr and Mrs E Gibson and child; Miss Rushton; Miss Lloyd; Miss Craigie; Major A J Sinclair; Lieut-Col and Mrs Wilson and sister; Mrs Horsfall and sister; Mrs A Knyvett and two children; Mr F C Barnes; Mr J A Apear; Mrs A Apear; Mr J A Chandell; Mr and Mrs Maxwell Maynard; Mrs Corry; Miss Corry; Mr W W Walton; Mr and Miss Wilson; Mr Dick Lauder; Mrs Thomson; Mr A Hardy; Bishop Cowburn; Miss Peck and child; Mr L MacDonald; Mr R D Hare; Mr and Mrs Rowland Hudson; Miss Boyd; Surg. Lieut-Col H C Evatt; Mrs Evatt; Mr F Wanklyn; Mr W H Lindsay; Mr T Benson; Mr J Worsley Taylor; Mr Starkie; Mr and Mrs Archer; Mr Chard; Mr and Mrs A Armstrong; Mr O Nevill; Mr Mackenzie; Mr and Mrs C A Bailey; Mrs Dobbs; Capt C Martindale; Mr R J H Arbuthnot; Mr C Middleton Rogers; Mr and Mrs H W J Hill; Miss Hill; Mr and Mrs Disney; Mr Ingram; Miss Ingram; Mr and Mrs J Mansell Franklin; Mrs Haggard and child; Mrs C Martindale and two children; Mrs Lester and child; Mrs Fred Lester; Mr and Mrs Crossley; Mr Skinner and two children; Mr Brit; Mr J E Paul; Mr and Miss Hart; Col R H Martin; Capt Donaldson; Mrs Crole and daughter; Mr Banks; Mrs and Miss Candy and child; Mrs Andrew Speed; Mrs A G Duff and child; Mr and Mrs R Dowson; Mr G Miller; Mr Ogilvy; Mrs Hosley; Col and Mrs W H Brown; Mr M J Battye; Mr and Mrs Kazim Hossein; Mr Dalton; Mrs Franks and child; Mrs Niel Macdonald; Miss Monit; Mr H Macdonald; Mr Bennet and Mrs W S McClelland; Lieut G O Rigby; Mr A Butler; Brig-Genl and Mrs Symons; Mrs Warren, infant and nurse; Mrs Ritching; Miss Powers; Mr and Mrs Seton; Mrs and Miss Smith; Mr J B Hextall; Mr J S Elmore; Mrs P Bates, infant and nurse; Mrs Atkinson; Mr Jeefs; Miss Blomfield; Surg Major H V Harington; Mr W Smith; Capt W P N Pallock; Mrs Julian Smith; Miss Westmacott; Mr and Mrs Colesin, nurse and child; Mr Brinton; Mr and Mrs Hoxfall; Capt Jas Woodward; Mrs Thaburn and child; Major Renny child and governess; Mrs Hudson; Rev J Phillips; Mr, Mrs and Miss Hudson; Lieut A M Perie; Lieut A D Charpion; Mrs Wright; Capt A O A Elphinstone; Mr and Mrs W E Cooper; Mr Hood and Mrs Addington; Mrs E John; Sir Henry Fichbourne; Mr W A Mcshuist; Mr and Mrs Morris; Miss Morris; Mr C H Dady; Mr W Butler; Mrs Hudleston; Mr Webster; Miss Stephenson; Mr Shore; Mrs Stunoch; Miss B Robertson; Chaplain D Bowley; Mr Biggs; Mr Vlasis; Mr and Mrs Home; Col and Mrs H C Hart

any sphere of life; certainly not all-sufficing, not even self-sufficing. We have seen this in many spheres of life; and with the disabilities of the sex gradually dying out and the laws of man gradually approximating more and more to the laws of God, there is every reason to hope that sex in itself will cease to be a factor in determining the happiness or progress of mankind."

The author intelligently discusses the present position of woman in England, and the probability of her sphere of influence increasing before long. With regard to Woman's Suffrage, he says:

"Taken altogether, I believe the influence of women on the course of social legislation ought to be more useful and salutary than that of men. Justice and expediency both demand that this influences shall be directly exercised on the legislature of the country. Is it not singular that whilst the English are governed by an essentially womanly woman, recognised as a most disinterested and capable ruler, they should pretend to be frightened at the very thought of qualified women safeguarding the interests of their sex in Parliament, and guiding its councils in regard to questions of vital importance to themselves!"

Another interesting addition to the book is Mr. Malabari's description of his visit to the House of Commons on an Indian Budget night, which, he says, was a sore disappointment to him. He was disgusted with the answers to questions on Indian subjects and advises the questions not to worry the Secretary of State for India, but "to worry the old rats of the India Office. Bait them all the year round, if you really feel for India." Rather hard this on the India Council. Mr. Malabari tells a story of a stranger—we fear it is of himself,—who, walking home from Westminster with a bunch of roses in his hand, heard one girl observe to another: "I like them roses." The remark was meant for the stranger, who stopped, and said—we hope it was not Mr. Malabari—"I like them lips," holding out the roses. The girl took the flowers, blushing rosy red, and waited a moment to pay the debt she felt she had contracted. But the ungallant foreigner—now we know it was Mr. Malabari—was loth to exact payment, and rather seems to have hurt the feelings of the girl by the omission. But this little occurrence gives him an opportunity for an essay on kissing, which he thinks is rather overdone in England.

"Kissing seems to run riot among Europeans. They kiss with excuse or without it—let them alone for making excuses. They kiss baby for mama, mama for baby; wife for husband, husband for wife. They kiss at a meeting and at parting, at the door in the drawing-room, and in the street. They kiss in broad day-light, in the shade, in the dark—I hope without making mistakes as to identity. Wife and husband kiss each other at the railway station, so do male friends in France. In India, the most devoted and the most uxurious of husbands would no more think of kissing his wife at the station than of knocking down the station-master and dancing on his prostrate body. I am inclined to think that if the strength spent upon kissing were to be reserved for a few years, it might furnish materials for another big war. England herself might work an electric railway with the current of energy she consumes in kissmanship by forswearing her osculatory extravagance."

This is rather hard criticism on our friendly way of greeting each other. Perhaps, Mr. Malabari is a little envious, though in general the "Indian Eye" takes a benevolent view of the "English Life" which it has dwelt on.

The New Quarterly Musical Review has reached its twelfth number, in which it gives us an interesting paper on Confucius and Music, showing that through the works of the Chinese sage we can gain a fair insight into the position of music in China in the early ages. Rubinstein's "Christus" is reviewed and highly praised. This sacred Opera, in some parts, is rather long, but worthy of the noble subject which Rubinstein spent his last years in setting to music. Each part can be rendered separately, and will therefore be within the reach of Musical Societies which cannot undertake so long and trying an opera as an Oratorio. Mr. G. Ransome discourses on "The Idea in Music," as exemplified by the serious development of Music as the embodiment of one grand conception; not as too often heretofore of innumerable broken thoughts, of mere tonal and melodic effects, rendered indeed with technical skill, and strictly in accord with rules. Music must take the dramatic from if an Idea is to be expressed. The Prelude to *Lohengrin* and the "Trauermarsch" *Die Gotterdammerung* present us with an Idea which rises from the Music, as the landscape from the mists of morning. Berlioz and Wagner are the Masters in this school, and their teaching will prevail. F. Gilbert Webb and J. A. Fuller Maitland give us their thoughtful criticisms on the musical performances and literature of the past quarter. A rapid analysis of the new musical publication closes this very excellent number of the "Quarterly Musical Review."

The Studio presents the public this month with a most amiable and interesting number. We have a short account of the work of Edward John Poynter, R.A., with many illustrations from his pictures and a portrait by himself. Japanese art in handling iron is well illustrated and minutely described. Mr. Norman Shaw's house interiors and exteriors are taken this month to show the revival of English Domestic Architecture in the present day. Professor Herkomer's invention of a Black and White Art gives abundant matter for an elaborate paper. Two Studios which do much for the education of young artists are described, Mr. Donne's and Mrs. Jopling Browne's, and we note with pleasure that this series will be continued. The Awards in "The Studio" prize competitions will interest its readers, while giving an idea of the excellence expected in the work competed for. From the Studio-Talk, we gather that at last Milan has succeeded in conquering the preliminary difficulties in producing an Illustrated Edition of "I Promessi Sposi." Commendatore Hoepli placed the competition for the illustration of this work in the hands of a society of artists who submitted to a selected jury the task of awarding the prizes. To the first award fell to Signor Gaetano Previati, and the result is that a new illustrated edition of the well-known "I Promessi Sposi" will be issued to celebrate the jubilee of the firm of which Commendatore Hoepli is the head.

Maureen's Fairing and other Stories by Jane, Barlow (London: Macmillan and Co.) These tales some of which are re-printed from *The Cornhill Magazine*, and *The Whitehall Review*, are delightfully crisp and fresh. "A Cream-coloured Cactus" is perhaps the cleverest, as "Maureen's Fairing" is the prettiest. All the Stories deserve a place in the very varied Colonial Library which Messrs. Macmillan are sending out to this country.

## THE DURAND AGREEMENT.

The Durand agreement signed in Kabul in October 1893 appears in the papers relating to Kafiristan which have been laid before Parliament, the text is as follows:—

Whereas certain questions have arisen regarding the frontier of Afghanistan on the side of India, and whereas both his Highness the Amir and the Government of India are desirous of settling these questions, by a friendly understanding, and of fixing the limit of their respective spheres of influence, so that for the future there may be no difference of opinion on the subject between the allied Governments, it is hereby agreed as follows:—

(1) The eastern and southern frontier of his Highness's dominions, from Wakhan to the Persian border, shall follow the line shown in the map attached to this agreement.

(2) The Government of India will at no time exercise interference in the territories lying beyond this line on the side of Afghanistan, and his Highness the Amir will at no time exercise interference in the territories lying beyond the line on the side of India.

(3) The British Government thus agrees to his Highness the Amir retaining Asmar and the valley above it, as far as Chandak. His Highness agrees on the other hand that he will at no time exercise interference in Swat, Bajaur or Chitral, including the Arnawoi or Basgal valley. The British Government also agrees to leave to his Highness the Birmal tract as shown in the detailed map already given to his Highness, without relinquishing its claim to the rest of the Waziri country and Dawar. His Highness also relinquishes his claim to Chageh.

(4). The frontier line will hereafter be laid down in detail as demarcated, however this may be practicable, and desirable, by Joint British and Afghan Commissioners, whose object will be to arrive by mutual understanding at a boundary which shall adhere with the greatest possible exactness to the line shown in the map attached to this agreement, having due regard to the existing local rights of villages adjoining the frontier.

(5) With reference to the question of Chaman the Amir withdraws his objection to the new British Cantonment, and concedes to the British Government the rights purchased by him in the Sirkai Tileral water. As this part of the frontier the line will be drawn as follows:—

From the crest of the Khwaja Amran range near the Peba Kotal, which remains in British territory, the line will run in such a direction as to leave Mungia Chaman and the Sharobo spring to Afghanistan, and to pass half way between the New Chaman Fort and the Afghan outpost known locally as Lashkar Dand. The line will then pass half way between the railway station and the hill know as the Mian Baldak, and turning southwards, will rejoin the Khwaja Amaran range, leaving the Gwajha Post in British territory, and the road to Shorawak to the west and south of Gwajha in Afghanistan. The British Government will not exercise any interference within a mile of the road.

( ) The above articles of agreement are regarded by the Government of India and his Highness the Amir of Afghanistan as a full and satisfactory settlement of all the principal differences of opinion which have arisen between them in regard to the frontier; and both the Government of India and his Highness the Amir undertake that any differences of detail such as those which will have to be considered hereafter by the officers appointed to demarcate the boundary line, shall be settled in a friendly spirit, so as to remove for the future as far as possible all causes of doubt and misunderstanding between the two Governments.

(7) Being fully satisfied of his Highness's good-will to the British Government, and wishing to see Afghanistan independent and strong, the Government of India will raise no objection to the purchase and import by his Highness of munitions of war, and they will themselves grant him some help in this respect. Further, in order to mark their sense of the friendly spirit in which his Highness the Amir has entered into these negotiations, the Government of India undertake to increase by the sum of sixlakhs of rupees a year, the subsidy of twelve lakhs now granted to his Highness.

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# NEWS OF THE DAY.

The Government of India have recently sent home a long despatch dealing with the Jhallawar question. This will appear in the blue-book on the subject, which is to be presented to Parliament.

Mr. Fanshawe, Director-General of the Post Office, returns to the headquarters of Government next week, on the completion of his tour in Madras.

Telegrams will be received in Calcutta by the Legislative Department up to the 25th instant and by the Finance Department up to the 26th. The Military and Foreign Offices close on the 27th, and the Home Office on the 28th. Communications after these dates should be addressed to Simla.

The net imports of silver into India in February amounted to Rx. 445,555. The net imports for the first eleven months of the official year are—six months, April to September, Rx. 2,676,250 and five month. October to February, Rx. 2,348,564.

The consecration of the Rev. Samuel Morley, the Bishop-elect of Tinnevelly, will take place at St. George's Cathedral, Madras, the Bishop of that Diocese performing the rite, assisted by the Bishops of Rangoon and Travancore.

The plan suggested by the Indian Tea Association for guarding against cholera among the labourers intended for the Assam gardens is being tried in Calcutta, where coolies enlisted for the gardens are being inoculated by Professor Haffkine's method.

The difficulty in regard to providing a rolled cartridge case for cordite for the Martini-Henry rifle has been overcome by the Indian Ordnance Department, so the manufacture of this ammunition on a large scale can now be proceeded with.

It is under contemplation to open refreshment rooms for natives, with fruit-stalls attached at important stations on the South Indian Railway, as has been done at junction-stations on the Madars Railway.

Major MacIvor, Political Agent, Thal-Chotiali, Baluchistan, officiates as Resident at Gwalior, vice Colonel Robertson, who goes on leave. Colonel Gaisford from Bhopawar succeeds Major MacIvor, Captain Delassoe returning to Bhopawar shortly on his arrival from leave.

Captain Macmahon has made considerable progress in the delimitation of the Afghan frontier from the Khwaja Amran Range southwards towards Shorawak, but last week a halt had to be called to settle some small point raised by the Amir's representative. It is not expected, however, that the delay will be serious and the work of erecting boundary pillars should now be proceeding satisfactorily.

From the 29th ultimo to the 6th instant, 1 European, 3 Eurasians, 11 Native Christians, 190 Hindus and 40 Mahomedans died within the Municipal limits of Madras, making a total of 245 persons. The average for the corresponding week of the ten previous years was 294. The deaths are thus classified:—13 from measlers, 86 from fevers, 19 from dysentery 9 from diarrhœa, and 118 from other diseases. The death-rate in the week under notice was 28·1 per 1,000 per annum. The mean of the ten previous years was 33·8 per 1,000 per annum.

Mr. H. L. Monk has been appointed Engineer-in-Chief, North-Western Railway, in succession to Mr. G. H. List, who is going on leave, Mr. G. Humfress succeeding him on the Burma State Railway; while Mr. T. E. Curry, Executive-Engineer, Mushkaf-Bolan Railway, acts for Mr. Humfress as Engineer-in-Chief on the frontier section of the North-Western Railway.

If it is decided to keep the 1st Burma Gurkha Rifles at Kengtung until next cold weather the cost will be comparatively small, for a year's supply of stores required from Burma have been already placed there, while locally rice is so abundant that it can be purchased for a few annas a maund. The paddy fields of Kengtung seem to yield a harvest far beyond the requirements of the people, and our troops can draw upon the surplus without any fear of its exhaustion. It is a pity that the climate is not a healthy one, but with decent barrack-accommodation the sepoys should not suffer greatly from malarious fever.

On the whole, the conduct of the tribes on the frontiers of Assam was satisfactory last year. The Buhtias especially appear to have been on their good behaviour, and the Bor Abors, profiting by the lesson of the expedition which was sent against them, were also quiet. The worst occurrence of the year was a raid by trans-Patkoi Nagas on the Naga village of Danran, lying beyond the Inner Line, on the Lakimpur frontier. Six men were killed, and seven women and children carried off. Unfortunately for the punishment of the brigands, this outrage was perpetrated beyond the limits of the area over which the jurisdiction of the Chief Commissioner extends. A godown on a tea estate in the Sibsagar district was burned down by Nagas, and stores to the value of Rs. 4,000, were destroyed. Close to the garden runs a track called Tiandnar, and all the Naga villages using the track have been called upon to give up the offenders, the path being closed until the demand of the Government is complied with. With these two exceptions the Naga hill tribes have behaved well.

The family of Sir Jung Bahadur, already reduced by *coups d'etat*, has suffered a serious loss in the person of General Ranbir Jung, third son of the great Nepali, which, as we stated a few days ago, occurred recently at Bombay. The deceased was a man of great intelligence devoted to his profession, and his manners had a singular charm which made for him friends everywhere. He was a student of military history, and could describe with accuracy and enthusiasm the tactics employed by the great Napoleon in any of his battles. General Ranbir Jung had resided for some years in British territory, where he had taken refuge after the revolution which cost his eldest brother and nephew their lives.

The Collector of Customs at Calcutta has exempted the masters of steamers belonging to the British Indian, Clan, Anchor, City, Brocklebank, and Harrison lines from the duty of presenting their ship's manifests or bills of lading on their arrival in the port. These documents will, in future, by presented by the agents concerned. The privilege has hitherto been confined to the Messageries and P. and O. Companies, probably on the ground that they contracted to carry the mails, but there can be no objection to a troublesome formality being dispensed with in the case of other recognized lines.

The grant of eight months' furlough to Mr Forbes, C. S. I., the Commissioner of the Patna Division, is gazetted. As already announced, the Hon. J. A. Bourdillon, from Burdwan, proceeds to Patna, the Hon. H. E. Buckland, C.I.E., Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the General, Revenue and Statistical Departments, succeeds the latter gentleman in the Burdwan Commissionership; and Mr. C. W. Bolton, Additional Commissioner at Patna, supplies the vacancy occasioned in the Secretariat by the transfer off the Hon. Mr. Buckland. Mr. Bourdillon resigns his seat in the Bengal Legislative Council.

I have been asked, says *Truth*, in fairness to Catain. F.A. Thatcher—the gallant officer who has set all London laughing by his lecture on the Jameson raid—to cont adict the statement that when he left the Army he was a sergeant in his regiment. The fact is, I am assured, that the Captain (who is the son of an Indian Major-General), having failed to pass his Army examination, enlisted, like so many others, in the 17th Lancers, and quickly rose (also like so many others) from the ranks to a commission. He was appointed to the Staff Corps, and resigned his commission last year to go to South Africa. All this I am glad to make known; but I would point out (1) that in noticing the allegation that the Captain left the Army as a sergeant I did not impugn any reflection upon him; (2) that the above narrative does not add in any way to his glory. On the contrary, his failure to pass the educational examination for the Army explains a good deal that has amused the critics in the Captain's style as a writer and speaker.

The proclamation recently issued forbidding the Myosa of Kengcheng from exercising any authority in British territory, will prevent any future trouble with the French authorities in the Mekong Valley. This petty Chief was found in possession of the State of Kengcheng when Mr. Hildebrand first visited the most easterly of the dependencies of Upper Burma and he was treated with all consideration. When, however, it became necessary to send a detachment of troops to occupy Mongsin, pending the settlement with France as to the buffer-state, he foolishly took alarm and fled into the jungles. Mongsin is the chief town of that part of Kengcheng which lies east of the Mekong and the Myosa was summoned back in order that his authority might be again confirmed. But he obstinately refused to return and set all orders of our Political Agent at defiance. He seems eventually to have gone southwards into French territory, but nothing is known as to his treatment there. Now he has probably fallen between two stools: he has been deprived of the small piece of Kengcheng which is within British territory, and the French are not likely to acknowledge his claims to Mongsin. They do not encourage the maintenance of small States and they attach such value to the districts along the Mekong that they will assuredly place them under the direct administration of their own officers. If the Myosa had been well-advised he would have remained at Mongsin, in which case his interests might have been safeguarded under the recent treaty. As it is, he has forfeited all claim to consideration at the hands both of the British and French Governments and his little State has become merely a geographical expression.

## SERIOUS CHARGES AGAINST A RAILWAY EMPLOYE.

Yesterday, at the Esplanade Police Court, before Mr. W. Webb, Third Presidency Magistrate, Mr. Ayworth, solicitor, appeared, with Mr. H. I. F. Thompson, secretary to Mr. Barnett, Agent, G. I. P. Ry., and filed an information on his behalf. That on or about 11th February, 1896, a letter was received by the Agent written on behalf of and signed by one Goolbai Cowasji Langrana complaining of an assault and attempt to commit rape on her by one of the Company's employes, named William Henry Daw, during a journey from Igatpuri to Bombay by the 12 o'clock up mixed train on the 24th January, 1896. The Agent caused inquiries to be made, and on the 4th instant Goolbai with her husband attended before the Agent in his office, and made a statement which was annexed. Mr. R. L. Trevethick, the Locomotive Superintendent, and complainant were present, and also the accused, William Henry Daw. The accused is a Foreman Carriage Examiner. The witnesses in the case will be Goolbai Cowasji Langrana, who resides at Igatpuri, Rustomji Manockji Framroz, and Gustadji Rustomji Parakh, who reside at Deolali, and were passengers in the train on which the assault took place, Hormusji Sorabji, assistant to Cumroo Jaffer Sultan, of Girgaum, Bombay, and Mrs. Walton, wife of Mr. G. Walton, of the Bombay Police, both of whom were also passengers by the same train, and Mr. J. de Beaux, the Guard. He asked that a summons might be issued against William Daw. The statement of Goolbai Cowasji Langrana, was as follows:—I left Igatpuri on the night of the 24th January last for Bombay, and when the train arrived at Kalyan, I saw a European, who got into the next compartment to the one in which I was travelling. At that time the lights were out. Mr. Daw then entered the compartment occupied by myself and a European lady, and attempted to remove the ladies' veil and pressed me on the cheeks. The European lady resisted. When I saw Mr. Daw doing this, I left my place and sat on the opposite seat. Mr. Daw then came and sat opposite to me, and spoke to me in Hindustani, and asked if he could be cold, and then pressed my hand and cheeks with his hands. He then tried to drag off my "saree." He told the European lady to go into the other compartment as he wanted to talk to me. The European lady would not do something which I did not understand, but I was afterwards told by her what the conversation was. Mr. Daw asked me if I wanted any money, and then returned to his own compartment. Meanwhile I and the European lady shut the door which had either been opened by him or it opened of itself. The next station was Mumbra, where I alighted.—(Sd) Goolbai Cowasji Langrana.

The magistrate granted the summons, as applied for.

## INDIAN CROP PROSPECTS.

### BENGAL OIL SEEDS.

First Forecast of the Oilseed Crops of Bengal, 1895-96. (Returns have been received from all districts except Hooghly.)

Explanatory.—The chief oilseed crops in these Provinces are:—(1) rapeseed and mustard, (2) linseed, (3) til or gingelly, and (4) other oilseeds, e.g., castor oil and sorguza (niger oilseed), &c. Two varieties of til are grown, viz., (a) the bhadoi till, which is sown during the rains and reaped early in the cold weather, and (b) the aghani til, which is sown in the cold weather and reaped shortly before the setting in of the rains. To prevent misunderstanding and to make this estimate complete for all important oilseed crops of the year both til crops have been included in the present forecast.

Character of the season.—The latter part of the monsoon season of 1895 was characterised by an early cessation of the rains. In November the rainfall was far below the normal in all districts of these Provinces except Rangpur, Bogra, Saran, Champaran, and Puri. In October it was less than normal throughout Bengal excepting Purdwan, Jessore, Khulna, Faridpur, Backergunge, Hooghly, Midnapore, Cuttack, Manbhum, and Singhbhum. In November, Orissa received only about half the normal fall; in the other divisions of these Provinces the rainfall was unimportant. In December, also, the rainfall was one-and-a-half inches, which exceeded the average, was received in East Bengal; Bihar received showers; the other Divisions received little or no rain. In January a few light showers fell in the Dacca and Rajshahi Divisions only.

Area cultivated.—The total area sown with oilseeds in 1895-96 in these Provinces (except Hooghly, for which no returns have been furnished by the Collector) is estimated at 2,996,400 acres, against 3,106,400 (excluding Hooghly) sown in 1894-95. The decrease of 115,300 acres (3·7 per cent.) is due to the unusually early cessation of the monsoon rains of 1895. Nonahali reports a decrease in the area cultivated, on account of heavy rainfall at the time of cultivation.

Character of the crops.—On reference to the appended returns, it will be seen that out of 44 districts, from which reports have been received, only one district, viz., Angul and Pargana, estimates the outturn of the different kinds of oilseed crops at 16 annas; 19 districts report the crops as varying from 12 to 15 annas, and 23 from 8 to less than 12 annas. The Collector of Gaya returns a poor crop of 6 annas only, which he states is the result of sufficient rain. Fifteen districts, including all the districts of the Dacca and Orissa Divisions, report the crops of 1895-96 to be better than those of 1894-95; 5 report equal crops and 24 worse ones. Last year the outturn of the oilseed crops in these Provinces was estimated at 12 annas; this was perhaps and under-estimate. The estimate of this Department, based on the district estimates, is that oilseed crops of 1895-96 will give an outturn of 11½ annas. This comparatively low outturn is due to the rainfall having been generally deficient, except in Eastern Bengal and Orissa, throughout the growing season of the crops.

### BENGAL WHEAT.

Preliminary Note on the Wheat Crop of Bengal, 1895-96. (Returns have been received from all the 27 wheat-growing districts in these Provinces which furnished returns last year, except Singhbhum and from two more districts, viz., Mymensingh and Cuttack, for which no returns are available this year.)

Character of the season.—The latter part of the monsoon season of 1895 was characterised by unusually early cessation of the rains. In September, rainfall was less than normal in the wheat-growing districts of these Provinces, except Rangpur, Saran, and Champaran. In October it was again generally deficient, the deficiency being most marked over the northern half of the Province. Bihar received an average of 46 per cent., and Orissa and Bengal only 30 per cent. of the normal fall. In November, Darjeeling received a fall of 1·28 inches, Cuttack a fall of 1·21 inches, and Faridpur and Hooghly 0·35 and 0·19 inches, respectively. In the rest of the wheat-growing districts, the rainfall was practically nil. In December, an average fall of 1·34 inches was received in East Bengal; Bihar received the next largest fall, viz. 0·70 inch, which was little more than half the normal fall; South-West Bengal, North Bengal, Chota Nagpur, and Orissa received a few light and unimportant showers. In January there was practically no rainfall till the last week, when showers fell, which may probably improve the prospects of the crop.

Area cultivated.—The total area sown with wheat this year in the wheat-growing districts (except Singhbhum) is estimated at 1,421,300 acres, against 1,411,100 acres in 1894-95. The increase may be due to the partial failure of the winter rice crop.

Outturn.—The outturn of the crop this year, as at present estimated, is 11½ annas, against 13½ annas in 1894-95. The decrease may be attributed chiefly to want of rain at the sowing season and also later on. Damage by insects is reported from Bhagalpur and from the Buxar subdivision of Shahabad. Two districts, viz. Rangpur and Pabna, report an average crop of 16 annas. Eleven districts return crops varying from 12 to 14 annas, (Saran, Bhagalpur, Maida, Purnea, Rajshahi, Darjeeling, Manbhum, Mymensingh, Faridpur, Bankura, and Cuttack) and 14 districts crops varying from 8 to less than 12 annas; only one district, viz. Nadia, returns the crop as less than 8 annas. Three districts report this year's crop to be better than that of last year; five report equal and 20 worse crops.

### BENGAL COTTON.

Note on the Late Cotton Crop in Bengal for the year 1895-96. Returns have been received from all the districts which grow late cotton, except from Singhbum.

Explanatory.—The present report furnishes estimates of area and outturn of the late cotton crop only, which is sown from the close of the rainy season and harvested during the hot weather in the months of May and June. The report on the early cotton crop in these Provinces, sown during the monsoon rains and harvested during the cold weather, was published by this Department on the 2nd December 1895.

Area sown.—From the district returns appended to this note, it will be seen that the total area sown this year with the late cotton crop in these Provinces, is estimated at 107,300 acres, against 108,100 acres sown on 1894-95. The small decrease is probably due to want of rain in October, i. e., at the time of sowing.

Only from two districts, viz., Bankura and Darbhanga, has an increase in area cultivated with cotton been reported.

Character of the crop.—The rainfall was generally deficient at the sowing season, and the outturn of the crop was accordingly adversely affected in most of the late cotton growing districts in these Provinces; but perspects seem to have improved by favourable weather later on, notably in Midnapore and Patna. The decrease in the outturn, as annas on last year's crop, reported in Muzaffarpur, is remarkable. Out of the 15 districts of these Provinces from which returns have been received, only one district, viz., Angul and the Khondmals, returns an average crop of 16 annas. Eight districts, viz., Bankura, Patna, Saran, Champaran, Manghyr, Bhagalapore, Cuttack and Balasore, give estimates varying from 12 to 14 annas, and the remaining six districts, viz., Birbhum, Midnapore, Muzaffarpur, Darbhanga, Purnea and Manbhum, report crops from 8 to 10 annas. Four districts report better crops than last year, five report equal crops, and six worse crops. Saran, which returns 40,000 acres out of the whole area of 107,000 acres, estimates 12 annas only against last year's 16 annas. It would thus appear that this year's crop will probably give a smaller outturn than last year's. The arithmetical mean obtained with reference to the areas cultivated shows an 11·2 anna crop for the late cotton growing districts as a whole. A 12-anna crop may be approximately estimated.

When water-gas first came into use in America for illuminating purposes, it was found that it gave rise to mushroom-shaped deposits on burner tips. These deflected the flame and diminished its luminous intensity. Some examples were sent for analysis, and were pronounced to be oxide of iron. Further investigation showed that the deposits were only formed when oxide of iron was used in the purifiers, and then only when there was some reduced or metallic iron present. By taking care, that the iron was fully oxidised before use the difficulty was entirely avoided.

Among the auditors and critics of Mr. Harry Furnis at his lecture in Queen's Hall the other night was that other noted caricaturist, Sir Frank Lockwood. Mr. Furnis seemed most to relish that part of his own lecture which dealt with the scenes in Congress. Here he seemed to see a new Parliamentary world to conquer. Here, as elsewhere in such a lecture, a humorist and caricaturist, remembering the sensitiveness of our American cousins, must feel that he is skating over thin ice. Mr. Furniss was most skilful where there was most danger. He declined to miss the opportunity of making his lecture topical, as he would have done had he ignored diplomatic difficulties; but he glided over them cleverly.

## THE NATIVE PRESS.

### THE INDIAN VOLUNTEERS ACT AMENDED BILL.

The "Indian Spectator" does not see the necessity for amending the Indian Volunteers Act, 1869, on the lines indicated by General Brackenbury in the report of the Select Committee, and remarks: "We are afraid there is too great a tendency now-a-days, among high-placed Anglo-Indian officials, to imagine dangers and to agitate for precaution against them, and we cannot help thinking that this Volunteers Act Amendment Bill is due to such a tendency. The Hon. the Military Member of Council spoke of some 'infinitely grave, though, it is to be hoped, a very remote danger' against which the Volunteers and their employers in civil life had to protect themselves. We do not know what that danger is. As for the riots and outbreaks of religious fanaticism, we should think that the regular military service has too much leisure to think of foregoing these rare opportunities of doing a bit of fighting, or, as it often turns out, mere marching. It is not always wise to legislate for 'very remote' dangers. For, in that case, we can do nothing but legislate all our lifetimes. And further, a Government which has its eyes too much fixed on 'very remote' dangers, is in serious danger of being blind to near ones. Anyhow, it seems commonsense to care for to-day before caring for the morrow. Do not some of the recent acts of our Government go to show that it is pursuing the other policy?"

### HER EXCELLENCY LADY SANDHURST ON FURLOUGH.

Of the social duties which her Excellency Lady Sandhurst performed conscientiously, the "Indian Spectator" speaks felicitously in these terms: "Lady Sandhurst has well-earned her furlough—for we hope it is only for a few months that she has gone home—after her arduous social duties at Poona and at Bombay. Very exacting are some of these duties; more so perhaps, in India than elsewhere; whilst at the same time, and probably for the same reason, they are not half so well appreciated here as in more advanced societies. Apart from dispensing the honours of Government House, there are the visits and the less formal calls that tax one's strength. Over and above these Lady Sandhurst found time for hospitals and schools where her presence could not but encourage all concerned. And more than once did she invite her little Excellency to spend a pleasant hour or two with her at Malabar Point. No one could say that she was idle whilst the Governor had to go through his daily grind, although many there are who would have better liked her Ladyship remaining amongst them for the full term, as did Lady Reay during her husband's memorable 'regime.'"

### THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

With regard to some recent criticism on the policy of the Director of Public Instruction at Bombay, the "Gujerati" says: "The present Director of Public Instruction has come in for a good deal of adverse criticism. But some of his critics will do well to remember that notwithstanding his retire disposition and love of the old order of things he has always proved himself a thoroughly independent officer. There are not a few instances in which the saving sense of justice has protected the subordinate officers of his department against the arbitrary interference of the local executive and even against the high-handed orders of Government. The weak and the helpless have always found in him a strong backer, and the doctrine of racial favouritism in matters of education has never met with his approval. These two features of his administration of the educational department should never be forgotten in any fair estimate of his work as Director of Public Instruction. True it is he has not distinguished himself by initiating any important educational reform. But at the same time he has never sought for cheap official popularity but maintained the independence of his position by his singular firmness and impartiality even in his relation with Government. The "Monitor" writes: "In the absence of any guarantee for the proper exercise of his beneficent power by the Director, he has been unable all the time, but it has been smothered under heaps and heaps of stupid old fogeyism and bleareyed, short-sighted, unimaginative legislation.

There is much that is really very droll in the history of attempts to bring out self-propelling carriages for the benefit of the public. "The gentlemen who love no change," as one historian expresses it, were down upon the new-fangled things from the first. They set up forty-shilling tolls at the turnpike gates, and they took to road-mending with loose pebbles in layers a foot and a half deep, and when, by little waggeries of this kind on one of the Scotch roads, they succeeded in breaking up a steam carriage, and a boiler with fatal effect, the once guilt people called it a judgment, and got the Court of Sessions to put down the wicked things everywhere. Again and again motor cars in one form or another have tried to make a stand, but the conservatism of man to change have always been equal to the occasion, and, as the result of successive Road Locomotive Acts, the law at this moment knows no distinction between a humanitarian bicycle driven by mechanical power and the most ponderous of steam rollers. Neither of them must go more than four miles an hour, and either of them must carry two engineers, and have a man with a red flag in front!

This ludicrous state of things has not been entirely without its effect in stimulating ingenuity as well as in suppressing and discouraging it. A clever engineer, a member of a large firm in the north of England, has expended a considerable amount of time and trouble in designing a machine that would run through all the Acts of Parliament, and he has managed to turn out a tricycle propelled by a small steam engine, but provided with pedals, which must be worked by the engineer when he would come into play. When the feet are removed from the pedals the steam is turned off. this is probably the only vehicle in England propelled by "other than animal power" which may move along a public road without fear of the legal logger-heads. This ridiculous suppression, however, is pretty certainly about to come to an end. On the 17th of last June, Mr. Shaw Lefevre introduced into the House of Commons a Bill for settling the matter in a satisfactory fashion in this direction, and though the dissolution of Parliament frustrated the attempt of the Liberal Government, Mr. Chaplin has promised to take the matter up and hopes to get a Bill through this Session. That an important alteration of the law is impending cannot be doubted, and there is reason to expect that it will immediately be followed by a renaissance of motor carriage enterprise likely to have far reach-ing effects. Already capital is being subscribed, companies are being formed, exhibitions and competitions are being arranged, and the "Self-propelled Traffic Association" for promoting and safeguarding the great interest that is likely to spring into existence, has been formed under the presidency of Sir David Salomons, Bart. Indeed, there are two bodies of the kind, the other being the Motor Car Club, which on Saturday last held an exhibition at the Imperial Institute, as reported in our issue of Monday. An exhibition of the new vehicles is to be held at the Crystal Palace in May and June, and the directors are being urged to continue it through July, in order that vehicles may be brought over to it from the Paris Exhibition at the end of June, when the show at the end of June. The Highland Society will also hold a show this summer at Perth, and "The Engineer" has announced an offer of prizes, to the value of 1,000 guineas, for a competition of self-propelled road carriages some time before the end of the year—assuming that the law shall have been altered so as to permit of a run of a hundred miles out and a hundred miles home.

The removal of ridiculous legal restrictions will at once set free an immense amount of suppressed energy and accumulated experience, and there are many who think that there will, in consequence, speedily spring up a new industry, compared with which the great cycling manufacture will be small. It is by no means improbable—for there is hardly any sort of traction work done by horse power that mechanicians are not apparently prepared to do more cheaply by steam or petroleum. Already, in France and America, a considerable industry has sprung up, and cabs and omnibuses, tramcars, broughams, victorias, and even bicycles, are all being run by mechanical propulsion.

The ideal motive power would, of course, be electricity, but at present there are insuperable difficulties in the way of its use. Storage batteries are very heavy to carry, and are expensive to maintain, and difficult to replenish when exhausted. For miscellaneous purposes therefore electric traction is at present out of the field. Steam seems to be the favourite power with the majority of our engineers. It need hardly be said that the steam engines it is proposed to put into brougham cabs and omnibuses, cabs and omnibuses, and market waggons, are to-day very different affairs from those that went pounding and puffing along from Gloucester to Cheltenham or from Glasgow to Paisley sixty or seventy years ago. Mr. Hiram Maxim's light tubular boilers with which he proposes to sail the air have quite revolutionised the steam engines available for road traffic. Mr. Maxim reckons that he can provide a steam engine and everything necessary to it that shall weigh not more than 11 or 12lb. per horse power. So that a little apparatus tucked neatly up under the driver's seat, or the splash-board of a carriage, and weighing less than a quarter of a hundred-weight, may be a fair equivalent for a couple of horses.

Petroleum as a motive force is being applied in two forms. There is the ordinary paraffin oil, such as is used in lamps in common use, and there is the more volatile and inflammable form of it known as naphtha and benzine. In either case the oil is vaporised and exploded just as in the working of an ordinary gas engine. The majority of road cars at present are driven by petroleum. If it is true, as reported, that an American inventor has found a cheap and easy means of deodorising the lighter petroleums, one great objection to the use of such motors will have been removed. There will still remain, however, the dangerous character of the fluid and the difficulty of distribution which will require the careful consideration of Parliament if these light petroleum motors are to be permitted to come into general use.

All sorts of people are likely to be interested in this renewed birth of a great industry, and not the least important of the changes that may be impending in consequence of it may be the greatly increased facilities that farmers and gardeners will find themselves in command of for bringing their produce to market. Large towns should find immense advantages in the banishment of an immense number of horses, and the indefinite multiplication of motor vehicles should be one step towards the realisation of the ideal which Professor Boys, F.R.S., recently put forth. "Let beasts of burden and coal be abolished, and let gas, electric power and water be supplied from a distance, and let the traffic move itself, and a great place like London might be driven and fit for human habitation."—"Daily News."

The Very Rev. George Alexander Chadwick, Dean of Armagh, who was elected by the Armagh Synod to the vacant Bishopric in the Irish Protestant Church, has been ordained for thirty-two years, and disregarded as one the most eloquent preachers in the Anglican communion. He has had a large parochial experience, and has filled the offices of Donellan Lecturer in the University of Dublin and of Select Preacher before the University of Oxford. Dr. Chadwick has been Dean of Armagh for the last ten years. He had a distinguished career in Trinity College, Dublin, where he was a class fellow and intimate friend of Lord Ashbourne, Mr. Lecky, Lord Justice FitzGibbon, and Professor Mahaffy. He was moreover a noted speaker and auditor of the College Historical Society. He was ordained for the curacy of Baggotrath, Church, Dublin, and Lord Justice FitzGibbon went to hear him preach his first sermon. The Lord Justice relates that he complimented the new Bishop on his courage in delivering the sermon which had, he assumed, been written but was committed to memory without a note. Dr. Chadwick immediately replied that no one word of the sermon had ever been written: he had simply thought it out.

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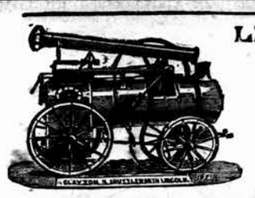

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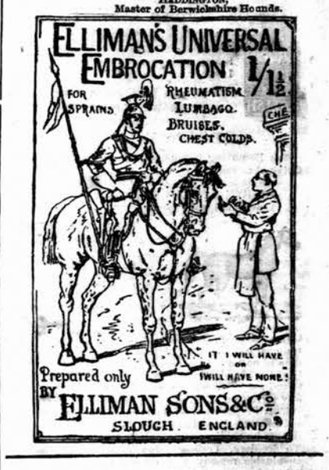


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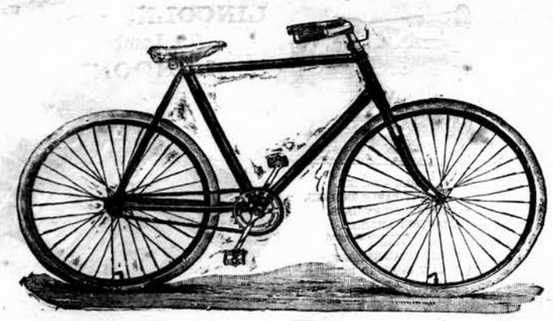

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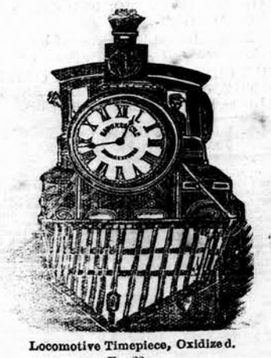

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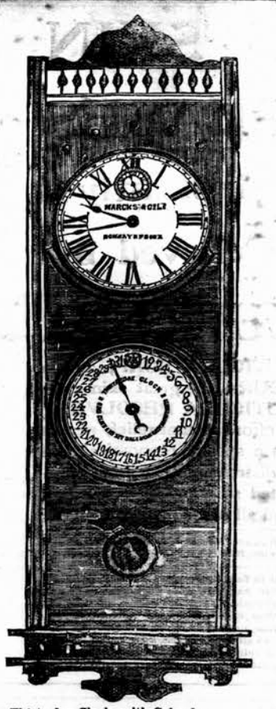

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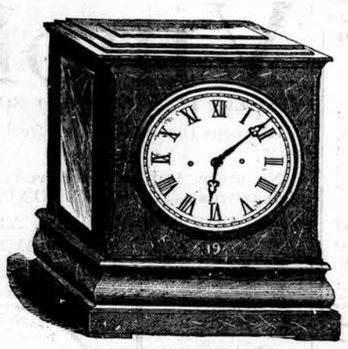

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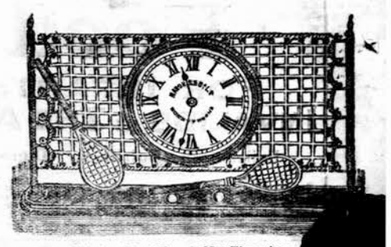

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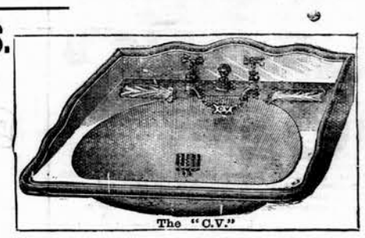

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